"But a Samaritan traveler who came upon him was moved with compassion at the sight."

Luke 10:33
SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM:
Parishioners who would like to have their child baptized at Saint Leo’s are requested to call Father Hahn at the Parish Office to personally schedule an appointment to meet with him to discuss this great Sacrament. Normally, Baptisms are held on the first Sunday of each month, after our 11:00 am Mass, or approximately at 12:15 pm. At least one sponsor must be a practicing Catholic, age 16 or older, Confirmed, and must present a sponsor certificate if from another parish. Parents must be registered members of Saint Leo’s Parish.

SACRAMENT OF MATRIMONY:
Couples contemplating marriage must contact Father Peter Hahn at the Parish Office at least one year before the date of the intended marriage. Church date and arrangements should precede all other wedding plans.

SACRAMENT OF ANOINTING:
Call any parish priest as soon as there is any serious illness.

HOLY COMMUNION TO THE SICK:
When a parishioner is confined to home because of illness, advanced age or infirmity, please call the Parish Office and arrangements will be made to bring Holy Communion to the person.

RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS (RCIA):
Adults interested in learning more about their faith or in becoming Catholic may join the program of formation and instruction which begins in September. Call the Religious Education Office.

SPONSOR CERTIFICATES:
Letters of recommendation for sponsors of the Sacraments can be issued only to active registered members of the parish and who are receiving the Sacraments on a regular basis.

MASS SCHEDULE
SATURDAY VIGIL: 4:30 pm-Church
SUNDAY: 7:30 am, 9:15 am, 11:00 am-Church
HOLY DAYS: Variable (see inside bulletin)-Church
DAILY MASS: Variable (see inside bulletin)-Chapel

RECONCILIATION
SATURDAY: 8:30-9:30 am and 3:00-4:15 pm (Daily Chapel) Also by appointment. Call Parish Office.

NURSERY: Childcare at the 4:30 pm and 9:15 am Masses only
CHILDREN’S CHAPEL: Open during all Masses.
LANCASTER CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL: 717-509-0315
A WOMAN’S CONCERN (Pregnancy Resource): 717-394-1561
SAINT ANNE’S RETIREMENT COMMUNITY: 717-285-5443
REGISTRATION/PARISH MEMBERSHIP: New parishioners can register by calling the Parish Office.
Mass Schedule

7/14-FIFTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
Dt 30:10-14; Ps 69: 14, 17, 30-31, 33-34, 36-37; Col 1:15-20; Lk 10:25-37
7:30 AM-Saint Leo Parishioners-PH
9:15 AM-Michael Clavin-(Ed Leone and Family)-SL
11:00 AM-Kay Schumacher-(Kuchinski Family)-SL
2:00 PM-ADORATION-SL

7/15-MONDAY-SAINT BONAVENTURE, BISHOP, DOCTOR OF THE CHURCH
Ex 1:8-14,22; Ps 124:1-8; Mt 10:34-11:1
8:00 AM-Ellie Krause-(Pam Heisey, Jeff Krause & Tom Krause)

7/16-TUESDAY-OUR LADY OF MOUNT CARMEL
Ex 2:1-15; Ps 69:3,14,31,33-34; Mt 11:20-24
6:30 AM-Intentions of Tim & Eileen Tymon-(Mary Anne Fanale)
7:00 AM-Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

7/17-WEDNESDAY
Ex 3:1-6,9-12; Ps 1-3:1-4,6-7; Mt 11:25-27
6:30 PM Benediction
7:00 PM-Dr. Frank Essis Jr.- (George and Shaeffer Families)

7/18-THURSDAY-SAINT CAMILLUS DE LELLIS, PRIEST
Ex 3:13-20; Ps 105:1,5,8-9,24-27; Mt 11:28-30
6:30 AM-Toby Underkoffler-(Vonnie Pisani)

7/19-FRIDAY
Ex 11:10 - 12:14; Ps 116:12-13,15-18; Mt 12:1-8
8:00 AM-John D. Hohman, Jr.- (Tom and Marion Metzger)

7/20-SATURDAY-SAINT APOLLINARIS, BISHOP, MARTYR
Ex 12:37-42; Ps 136:1,23-24,10-15; Mt 12:14-21
8:00 AM-Frank Cruz-(Kreider Family)
4:30 PM Vigil-Eugene Kegel-(Jeanne Connor)-SL

7/21-SIXTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
Gn 18:1-10; Ps 15:2-5; Col 1:24-28; Lk 10:38-42
7:30 AM-Alton Kohls-(Hyrb Family)-SL
9:15 AM-Saint Leo Parishioners-PH
11:00 AM-Ann-Marie Friel-(Vonnie Pisani)-PH
2:00 PM-ADORATION-PH

SCRIPTURE READINGS
Sunday, July 21st, 2019
Gn 18:1-10; Ps 15:2-5; Col 1:24-28; Lk 10:38-42
Abraham, the just and upright man, graciously hosts three visitors. As Mary and Martha host Jesus, he speaks of only one thing as necessary for us who follow him: being open to receive the message and person of Jesus, and being receptive to “the mystery of Christ” as he comes to us through one another.

Weekly Collections
Fair Share Collection: 6/30/19 - $32,692.58
7/7/19 - $20,708.58
Capital Campaign: 6/30/19 - $6,707.00
7/7/19 - $5,054.98
Thank you for your generosity!

Prayers for the Capital Campaign
4,763,004 Hail Mary Prayers
Thank you for your faithfulness!
We have met another milestone, 4 million Hail Mary’s on our way to our goal of 5 million Hail Mary’s for the Capital Campaign! As we get closer to our goal, let’s remember the words of St. Paul: “Let us not become weary in doing good, for at the proper time we will reap a harvest if we do not give up.” The most important thing we can do to support our Capital Campaign and Building Project is to pray, so keep up the wonderful work!

There are several ways of recording our prayerful work. In the Narthex of the church, the side entrance, and in the school are small blue tracking forms. You can also report your progress via email at HailMary@stleos.org.

All Saint Leo’s parishioners have access to free Catholic programming through Formed.org. Go to https://stleos.formed.org to register, enter your name, email address and password.

Here’s a list of noteworthy talks for those that commute to and from work.

Light in the Darkness, by Patrick Lencioni
(Listed under Catholic Life)
The Face of God, by Saint Mother Teresa
(Listed under Discover the Saints)
The Roots of the Crisis, by Dr. Tim Gray
(Listed under Current Topics)

Great sources for family discussion at the dinner table!
IMMEDIATE OPENING
P/T ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT
OFFICE OF DEVELOPMENT & PARISH MINISTRIES

Saint Leo the Great Church, Lancaster, PA, is seeking a Part Time Administrative Assistant to support the Office of Development and Parish Ministries (ODPM). Key responsibilities for this position are to:

**Manage the Database** that contains all information concerning:
- Donors and supporters of all major fundraising activities, including the Annual Appeal.
- Volunteers in parish ministries and school activities.
- Current and prospective school families.
- Members of the local community, including business and community leaders, elected officials, emergency responders, and most especially, those in need of assistance.

**Make Phone Calls** to invite participation and perform outreach efforts to those listed above.

**Prepare Parish-Wide Publications** on a regular basis, including, but not limited to, the Annual Development/Advancement Report, and assorted Newsletters, Announcements, and Website Content.

**Perform Other Administrative Duties** on a periodic basis such as electronic and paper filing, receptionist functions, mailings, and hospitality at various parish and school events.

Candidates must be a practicing Catholic, with excellent computer skills and a track-record of “team-work”. They must be organized and proficient in database and MS Office tools. Familiarity with Saint Leo the Great Parish, School, Ministries and programs are a plus. This hourly position will be approximately **25 hours per week**. There will be some flexibility in schedule. Evening and weekend hours will be required periodically for various activities. This position will work closely with all ODPM employees as well as other staff and volunteers at Saint Leo’s.

This position will require all background certificates and youth protection documents in accordance with Diocese of Harrisburg policy. Go to

https://www.youthprotectionhbg.com/employee-training-screening/

As you navigate the youth protection site, follow all directions for "School Employees." All fees are the responsibility of the applicant.

For more information, contact the parish office at 717 394 1742, ext. 141. For consideration, submit resume to: Frank Kuchinski at parishmgr@stleos.org. Resumes will be accepted until the position is filled.

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**How to Identify Phishing Scams**

Below is a list of questions to ask yourself before you open an email that may help you realize that you are being phished. How to analyze who and where the email came from:

- Do you communicate with this person regularly?
- Do you have any type of relationship with the sender? If not, were they at least vouched for by someone you trust?
- Is this email from outside of your organization or unrelated to your job responsibilities?
- Was the email sent from someone you recognize but the content seems unusual or out of character, such as them making an odd request or a using a style of writing that is not typical of them?
- Is the sender's email from your company domain? Double check that it is not a visual spoof of your domain, such as "domain.com" rather than "domain.com".
- Is the sender's email from a suspicious external domain? (like micorosft-support.com rather than microsoft.com)

If you notice anything about the email that alarms you, do not click links, open attachments, or reply. You are the last line of defense to prevent cyber criminals from succeeding and making you or your company susceptible. KnowBe4.com
2019-2020 PSR Registration

PSR Registration for Pre-K-4 thru Grade 8 for the upcoming school year is ongoing throughout the summer months. Parents who have children new to the program must provide a record of their Baptism, Reconciliation, or Holy Eucharist if these Sacraments have been received. For those who have children needing to receive Sacraments, please read the Diocesan guidelines below. If you have any questions or would like to make an appointment to register or request forms to be sent to you, please call Sister Dorothy at 394-1742 ext.222 or email dre@stleos.org.

SACRAMENTAL PROGRAM

Penance, Reconciliation and Holy Eucharist: Preparation for the Sacraments of Penance and Reconciliation and Holy Eucharist is a two-year program as prescribed by the Diocese of Harrisburg. To be eligible to receive this Sacrament, one must have completed the 1st Grade instruction and the 2nd Grade instruction at either our Parish Elementary School and/or our Parish School of Religious Education, or at another Catholic School, and be a member of our Parish.

Confirmation: Preparation for the Sacrament of Confirmation is a two-year program as prescribed by the Diocese of Harrisburg. To be eligible to receive this Sacrament, one must have completed the 7th Grade instruction and the 8th Grade instruction at either our Parish Elementary School and/or our Parish School of Religious Education, or at another Catholic School, and be a member of our Parish. If a student has not complied with the above requirements for either the Reconciliation/Eucharist or Confirmation program, parents must meet with Father Hahn to make arrangements for the reception of the Sacrament.

Employment Opportunities at Saint Leo the Great Catholic School
For the 2019-2020 Academic Year

Pre-School Aide Needed
“Where does Jesus sleep at night?” “Were there dinosaurs when you were a baby?” “Are the people on television real or pretend?” If you would love to help 3 and 4 year olds discover the answer to these questions, please contact Mrs. Christine McLean, Principal at 717-394-1742, ext. 3 or email principal@stleoschool.org. All Candidates must submit current background clearances.

Part-Time School Aide
We have one opening for a part-time aide in our school. Candidate must respect children, have good numeracy/literacy skills, can take initiative and be flexible, can demonstrate patience, understanding, tact and sensitivity. Candidate must perform all duties assigned for the purpose of maintaining a safe, orderly, and cheerful before school program. Candidate will need to submit current background clearances. Daily Hours are from 7:30AM - 12:30PM. Interested candidates should also contact Mrs. Christine McLean, Principal at 717-394-1742, ext. 3 or email principal@stleoschool.org.

Substitute Teachers
We have openings for substitute teachers. Our substitutes are vital to the operation of our school. Instruction that engages students must continue every day! Candidates will need to submit current background clearances and teaching certifications to be considered. Qualified candidates should contact Mrs. Christine McLean, Principal (717) 394-1742 ext. 3 or email principal@stleoschool.org.

Saint Leo the Great Robotics Program
The St Leo’s 2019-2020 robotics program is accepting applications for the Fall FTC (Grades 7-8), FLL (Grades 4-7) and FLL, Jr (Grades 2-3) teams. The programs are administered by FIRST and expose the team members to practical applications of science, technology, engineering and math using Legos. More information about the program is available at http://www.firstinspires.org/. Applications are due before 5/17. Please contact John Bridgen, program coordinator for an application or more information at jbridgen@neffautomation.com.
Grandparents Association

The next meeting of the Grandparents Association is Monday, July 22nd at 9:00 AM in church room 2. Please join us to pray for our grandchildren and our families. Holy Mary Mother of God, pray for us!

Saint Leo Prayer Chain

Saint Leo’s has a dedicated group of parishioners who receive prayer requests by email from the Parish Office. Prayer requests for God’s will, for your needs and for the needs of others are emailed or phoned into the Parish Office. The prayer requests are emailed to those who are participants in this prayer ministry. We all know the power of prayer! If you would like to be part of this ministry or need prayer, please contact the Parish Office 717-394-1742 or secretary@stleos.org.

Adoration

Please prayerfully consider spending time with Christ by committing to a Holy Hour on Tuesdays or Wednesdays. Two adorers per Holy Hour would be ideal. Open time slots are Tuesdays from 1:00-2:00 PM and Wednesdays from 6:00 AM till 12 Noon. If you are interested, please contact Tina Johnson at tjohnson@stleos.org or call the parish office at 717-394-1742.

“In the Mass and in Eucharistic Adoration we meet the merciful love of God that passes through the Heart of Jesus Christ.” -Saint John Paul II

Pray the Rosary

At Saint Leo’s, parishioners come together every day to honor the Blessed Mother through the recitation of the holy rosary. We encourage you to choose a time and join us as we pray this beautiful prayer on any of the following days: Sunday: 10:30 am-Church, Monday-8:30 am-Chapel, Tuesday-5:00 pm-Chapel, Wednesday-9:15 am & 6:20 pm-Chapel, Thursday-7:00 pm-Room 1, Friday-8:30 am-Chapel, and Saturday at 4:00 PM in the Church.

“Go to the Madonna. Love her! Always say the Rosary. Say it well. Say it as often as you can! Be souls of prayer. Never tire of praying, it is what is essential. Prayer shakes the Heart of God, it obtains necessary graces!” - St. Padre Pio

First Friday Prayer Group

All are welcome to join us on Friday, August 2nd as we pray for our families. We usually meet in the Chapel from 1:00-2:00 PM. For more details or if you have questions, please contact Theresa Kline at tamk7@comcast.net or 717-872-7003.

Saint Leo’s Youth Athletics Alliance News

St. Leo’s Youth Athletic Alliance is looking for coaches and program coordinators for the 2019-2020 basketball season. We are looking for adults who will strive to integrate faith and sports into one. As a Catholic coach and / or Catholic coordinator, your main responsibilities will include, but are not limited to the following: provide a safe environment, communicate in a positive way, teach the fundamental skills and rules of basketball, direct players in healthy competition, and most importantly, help our young players develop Christian character. We want coaches who are interested in developing every individual in an environment where the player can learn without fear, have fun, and enjoy their overall experience. The necessary training will be provided prior to the start of the season to impart all coaches with the basics of coaching Catholic youth sports effectively. To apply for a coaching position, please contact Missy Atkinson at slyaadirector@stleos.org on or before July 26, 2019. Currently we are seeking coaches at all levels: Novice, Intermediate, JV and Varsity. However, our most important emphasis this summer is on our competitive levels: boys Varsity head and assistant head coaches (2 positions), JV head and assistant head coaches (2 positions) and girls Varsity assistant head coach (1 position).

Father Joe Celia 3v3 -Basketball Tournament

Attention all high school and college-aged boys: the 16th Annual Father Joe 3 on 3 Basketball Tournament to Benefit Catholic Heart Workcamp and Steubenville Conference Trip will be Friday, July 19th from 5:00 - 11:00 PM at Saint Leo the Great Gym, 2427 Marietta Ave, Lancaster. 3 on 3 Play with substitutions allowed, up to 6 players on a team. Cost is $10/player. Registration is now open. Go to www.eventbrite.com. In the search bar, type Father Joe Summer of ‘19 High School/College 3 on 3. Click the link to learn more and to register. Deadline is July 18th at 9:00 PM.

5:00 PM - 8:00 PM - High School Boys  8:00 PM - 11:00 PM - College Boys
St. Anne Feast Day Celebration

Saint Anne’s in Lancaster invites you to celebrate the feast day of their Parish Patroness, St. Anne on July 26th at 929 North Duke Street. The celebration will begin at 6:30 PM with a prayer service outside in the statue garden, weather permitting. Regularly scheduled Mass will follow. After Mass, continue the celebration with an ice cream social in the Parish Library.

St. Anne is a known advocate for mothers, grandmothers, childless couples, families, single parents, and parents who have lost a child. However, she will gladly hear and answer all intentions. Bring your families and friends and lay your petitions and intercessory requests at her feet.

Novena to St. Anne

Beginning on July 17th, Saint Anne’s parish will initiate the nine day novena prayer to St. Anne leading up to her feast day on July 26th. All are invited and encouraged to participate. Each day, you will receive an email that will include the daily prayers, and some additional information about our patron Saint. You will have the opportunity to offer your own petitions each day as well. If you are not currently on the parish email list, and would like to receive these emails, please contact Caitlyn Dusablon at cldusablon@gmail.com.

Fall Blast Run/Walk

Join us Saturday, October 5th for a 5K Run/Walk that is a perfect family-friendly event for runners of all levels. ALL proceeds will help Off The Streets Lancaster secure housing for those who are homeless locally. We invite you to join in the fun! Circle the date now! Registration will open July 2019. You can help too by becoming a Fall Blast Sponsor (Levels $100-$1000 plus) or making a donation. Sponsorship forms are available online, on Facebook or if you prefer, just send donation or Sponsorship payable to FallBlast5K; Hartz Physical Therapy, 100 Highlands Drive, Lititz PA 17543. Details at https://www.hartzpt.com/fall-blast-5k-runwalk/charitable-causes/ Facebook: Fall-Blast- Hartz Physical Therapy.

Marian Consecration

What if someone could take your human prayer and make it perfect before God? That is exactly what a Marian Consecration (consecrating yourself to the Blessed Mother) does! Through this Consecration, our beautiful Mother takes our prayers and makes them perfect. What a grace! Join us at Saint Joseph’s Parish in Lancaster (440 Saint Joseph Street) from July 16th to August 20th from 6:30-8:00 PM in the St. Francis Room for 33 days of growing together in holiness as the Blessed Mother leads the way. A Consecration Mass will be celebrated on the Feast of the Assumption. The time will be announced closer to the date. For more information, or to RSVP, contact Annie Celotto at 804-869-7125 or Annie@stjosephslanc.com. To review the study that we will be using, please go to www.Marian.org.

Specialized Foster Care

Many families will be enjoying quality time together during vacations and fun activities this summer, like our parish festivals, swimming, picnics, amusement parks, etc. Unfortunately many children in the foster care system won’t have those opportunities BUT you can make a difference in the life of a child by opening your home to a child in need. If this is something that would like do, please contact Kelly at Catholic Charities Specialized Foster Care at (717) 564-7115 or email: kbolton@cchbg.org.
The Story of Our Lady of Mount Carmel

Before Christ

Mount Carmel is a biblical place where the prophet Elijah dwelt. It rises 1,742 feet above sea level and towers above Israel’s Mediterranean coastline. It was here where Elijah prayed to God for the salvation of Israel, which was suffering a terrible drought at the time. He continued to pray and sent his servant up the mountain several times to look for rain. On the seventh try, Elijah’s servant returned with good news. “Behold a little cloud arose out of the sea like a man’s foot” (1 Kings 1:44). Soon thereafter, torrential rains fell upon the parched land and the people of Israel were saved.

Elijah saw the cloud as a symbol of the Virgin mentioned in the prophecies of Isaiah (Isaiah 7:14). The hermits who lived on Mount Carmel followed Elijah’s example and prayed for the advent of the much-awaited Virgin, who would become the mother of the Messiah. The origins of the Carmelite Order can be traced back to Elijah and his hermited disciples.

Saint Simon Stock

In the 13th century, during the Crusades, St. Simon Stock joined a group of hermits on Mount Carmel during a pilgrimage to the Holy Land. In 1247, he was elected the 6th superior-general of the Carmelites at the first chapter held in Aylesford, England. However, the order had difficulty gaining general acceptance and suffered much persecution and oppression from secular clergy and other orders which prompted the monks to have recourse to the Blessed Virgin in the year 1251.

On Sunday July 16th, 1251, as Simon Stock knelt in prayer, Our Lady appeared to him, holding the Child Jesus in one arm and the Brown Scapular in the other. She uttered the following words: “Hoc erit tibi et cunctis Carmelitis privilegium, in hoc habitu moriens salvabitur” (This shall be the privilege for you and for all the Carmelites, that anyone dying in this habit shall be saved). On January 13, 1252, the order received a letter of protection from Pope Innocent IV, defending them from harassment.

The Brown Scapular

The scapular of Our Lady of Mt. Carmel, also known as the Brown Scapular, is one of the most popular and celebrated of Roman Catholic devotions. The sacramental (as the lay faithful commonly use it) is a miniature derivative of the actual brown scapular used by the Carmelites – the sleeveless outer garment falling from the shoulders which is worn as a sign of their vocation and devotion.

Our Lady gave St. Simon a scapular for the Carmelites with the following promise, saying, “Receive, My beloved son, this habit of thy order: this shall be to thee and to all Carmelites a privilege, that whosoever dies clothed in this shall never suffer eternal fire...It shall be a sign of salvation, a protection in danger, and a pledge of peace.” Attached to the wearing of the Brown Scapular is the Sabbatine Privilege. The name, Sabbatine Privilege, originates from the apocryphal Bull “Sacratissimo uti culmine” of John XXII, March 3, 1322. According to Pope John XXII, the Blessed Virgin gave him the following message in a vision related to those who wear the Brown Scapular: “I, the Mother of Grace, shall descend on the Saturday (Sabbath) after their death and whomsoever I shall find in Purgatory, I shall free, so that I may lead them to the holy mountain of life everlasting.”

Based on Church tradition, three conditions need to be fulfilled to obtain the benefits of this Privilege and the Scapular:

1. Wear the Brown Scapular
2. Observe chastity according to one’s state in life
3. Pray the Rosary

In order to receive the spiritual blessings associated with the Scapular, it is necessary to be formally enrolled in the Brown Scapular by either a priest or a lay person who has been given this faculty. Once enrolled, no other Scapular need be blessed before wearing. The blessing and imposition are attached to the wearer for life.

Fundraiser for Off the Streets

Imagine having nowhere to go at the end of the day, nowhere to keep your children safe and together, nowhere to sleep. Over 550,000 persons endure just that on any given night in the US, even though 40% are working. Your generosity has helped Off The Streets Lancaster get 2,097 people off the streets in six years. Of these, 80% were women and children. Please help us to motivate other towns to do the same. Enter to win a stunning bracelet from Brent L Miller Jewelers. Only 100 tickets will be sold. $50 per ticket. Please contact Lena Hohenadel at 717-575-1903.

Off the Streets works with local service agencies to assist families and individuals “off the streets” and into permanent housing. We can act very quickly — the transition from homelessness to a furnished room or apartment can take place within a day or two. Off the Streets is completely volunteer based. Although we team with local social service agencies, we have no paid staff and minimal overhead. We provide the following kinds of help: security deposits, furniture, and household items.

San Juan Bautista Festival

San Juan Bautista Annual Hispanic Festival will be held July 24th to July 27th on the Parish grounds, 425 South Duke Street. The 36th Annual Hispanic Cultural Festival will be held on Wednesday, July 24th to Saturday, July 27th, at San Juan Bautista Catholic Church (425 South Duke Street, Lancaster).

Since 1983, San Juan Bautista has hosted this Hispanic Festival for the Lancaster community. With a wide variety of food, native costumes, representational arts and crafts and ever-popular Latin music, the festival amply displays the many cultures that make up Lancaster’s vibrant Hispanic community.

This year’s festival culminates at 11:00 PM, Saturday with the Grand Raffle a Car (announcement coming soon). The festival also boasts a wide variety of traditional Hispanic cuisines. A sample of the offerings includes Empanadas, Chorizo con Arepa and Gaseosa Colombiana from Colombia; Pinchos, Pasteles, and Alcapurrias from Puerto Rico; and Burritos, Fajitas, Tacos, Tamales and Enchiladas from the Mexican community. Rides and numerous games complete the festival activities.

32nd Annual Pilgrimage to the Grotto of Lourdes in Emmitsburg, Maryland

All are welcome this day to join together to pray for peace through the conversion of hearts, and to receive God’s blessings through Mary, Mother of God, and Mother of the Church. You do not need to register. There is no transportation provided.

Pilgrims are encouraged to car pool, and parishes are invited to rent a bus, if feasible. Pilgrims must bring their own lunch and drinks. Lunch is not available otherwise. The Diocesan Pilgrimage to the National Shrine, Grotto of our Lady of Lourdes at Mount St. Mary’s, Emmitsburg, MD, started by the Rev. Walter Sempko in 1987, the Annual Pilgrimage for World Peace will take place on Thursday, August 1st. The day begins at 10 AM with a welcome ceremony in the Chapel followed by the Sacrament of Reconciliation, Stations of the Cross or Rosary and Mass at Noon. Lunch on your own is from 1:15 to 2:00 PM. At 2:15, we will pray the Litany of the Blessed Virgin Mary, the Prayer of Consecration, and conclude the day with a Holy Hour and Chaplet of Divine Mercy at 3:00 PM.

Oberammergau Pilgrimage

The pilgrimage to Oberammergau which features the Passion Play, leaves May 16, 2020 and returns May 26, 2020 is gaining traction! Deposits have really started to come in! The trip is going to be a once in a lifetime opportunity. If you have decided to join us, please arrange to send your deposit to Saint Peter’s Catholic Church in Columbia, PA - attention: Mary Loreto – 203 Acorn Lane Mountville PA. If you are still undecided but are considering the trip, please email marycloreto@gmail.com so she can keep track and when they get close to a full trip, she will notify you. Please let her know by July 12th if you are planning to attend. The initial registration deposit is $800.00 per person. An additional payment of $1200.00 is due by the end of July.
Parish Events

**SUNDAY-7-14**
CHARISMATIC PRAYER GROUP 7:00 PM-RM 1

**MONDAY-7-15**
NO EVENTS

**TUESDAY-7-16**
YOUNG ADULT BIBLE STUDY-7:30 PM-WAC

**WEDNESDAY-7-17**
NO EVENTS

**THURSDAY-7-18**
3 ON 3 TOURNAMENT-ALL DAY - GYM
LEGION OF MARY:7:00 PM-RM 1

**FRIDAY-7-19**
3 ON 3 TOURNAMENT-ALL DAY - GYM

**SATURDAY-7-20**
GOSPEL REFLECTION GROUP 7:00 AM-RM 2
3 ON 3 TOURNAMENT-ALL DAY - GYM

**SUNDAY-7-21**
CHARISMATIC PRAYER GROUP 7:00 PM-RM 1

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Diocesan Events

**Charismatic Day of Renewal** – This year’s theme is *The Beginning and the End: The Healing of Past Soul Wounds* with the Keynote Address by Fr. Paul C.B. Schenck, EdD. The Day of Renewal will be held on Saturday **September 21st** from 8:00 AM - 4:00 PM at the Diocesan Center 4800 Union Deposit Road, Harrisburg, PA 17111. A breakout session is also planned: “Unleashing the Gifts of the Holy Spirit”. Registration includes lunch and is $20 per adult and $10 per student (age 16 through college). Register online at [www.hbgdiocese.org/renewal](http://www.hbgdiocese.org/renewal). Questions, contact Joyce at (717) 308-7245.

**Diocesan Women’s Conference – October 12th**
Please mark your calendars for the 5th Annual Diocesan Women’s Conference at Bishop McDevitt High School, October 12, 2019. Keynoter is Helen Alvare—popular speaker, author, and Catholic personality. There will be 30+ workshops, Confession available, Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament with Benediction, beautiful music, many vendors, good food, Mass celebrated by Bishop Gainer, and fellowship with up to 1,000 women. Registration information coming soon.

**The Beginning Experience Weekend** will be at Camp Hebron, Halifax, PA on **November 8-10th**. The ecumenical Beginning Experience weekends are an approved program designed for those suffering the loss of a spouse through death, divorce or separation. Hundreds of persons have been helped to move towards successful, productive, happy lives by attending one of these weekends. The weekend is led by persons who have lost a spouse through death or divorce and are trained in facilitating a weekend.

Check the Harrisburg Diocesan WEB SITE: [http://www.hbgdiocese.org/](http://www.hbgdiocese.org/) and go to marriage and family or check [www.beginningexperience.org](http://www.beginningexperience.org). Information can also be obtained by contacting the Harrisburg Beginning Experience Team, Julie, at 717-379-0800 or Eva, at 717-495-9586.

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LCHS News

The 2019 LCHS Football Team invites you to join us in our annual LCHS Football Golf Outing to be held **August 9th** at Cross Gates Golf Club in Millersville. Shot gun start at 1:30 PM. For more details, please contact Missy Atkinson at md4irish@comcast.net for a brochure.

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Donations Needed

Lourdeshouse Maternity Home is in need of the following items: towels, wash clothes, dryer sheets, sewing kits, baby photo albums, napkins, paper towels, toothpaste, and diapers (size 3, 4, and 5). If you can help, please contact Lourdeshouse at 717-412-4865 or bring donations to the Diocesan Center (4800 Union Deposit road in Harrisburg).

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Volunteers Needed for Saint Anne’s Brown Bag Lunch Ministry

The parish of St. Anne’s is seeking additional help for their brown bag lunch program on **Mondays from 9:30 AM - 1:00 PM**. If you have the heart of a servant, you will enjoy this ministry. The volunteers work as a team preparing and packing a brown bag lunch. On average, 115 people are fed per day. During the summer months, (currently) the ministry is feeding approximately 175-200 people a day. Please call the Saint Anne’s Parish office at 717-392-2225 if you would like to help or would like more information.