



**Fourth Sunday of Advent  
December 23, 2018**

**OUR PARISH PRAYS**

**MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK**

**SATURDAY, December 22**

5:00 P.M. Living and Deceased Membes of  
George M. Weisser Family

**SUNDAY, December 23**

8:00 A.M. People of the Parish  
10:30 A.M. Peg Deascenti

**MONDAY, December 24**

7:30 A.M. Sp. Int. Ed Wickenheiser  
5:00 P.M. Special Intentions  
7:00 P.M. Gerald Fischer  
9:00 P.M. People of the Parish

**TUESDAY, December 25**

9:00 A.M. Candice Kaufhold

**WEDNESDAY, December 26**

7:30 A.M. Margaret Sheehy

**THURSDAY, December 27**

7:30 A.M. Pauline Giandalia

**FRIDAY, December 28**

7:30 A.M. Helen G. Kiehl

**SATURDAY, December 29**

8:00 A.M. Betty Kaufhold  
5:00 P.M. Ernest J. Keysock

**SUNDAY, December 30**

8:00 A.M. Anita & Hammer Grab  
10:30 A.M. People of the Parish

**OUR PARISH WORKS FOR GOD**

**PARISH FINANCES** - To meet our budgeted expenses for the fiscal year the sum of \$8,911.00 is needed on an average basis in the Sunday collection.

**December 15-16, 2018**

204 Envelopes out of 607 collected	\$	5,834.35
Loose Collection	\$	481.35
Children's Envelopes	\$	47.46
Parish Giving	\$	253.99
Total Gifts to God	\$	6,617.15
Deficit for the week . . . . .	\$	(2,293.85)

**Fiscal Year To Date**

Budgeted Income to Date. . . . .	\$	213,864.00
Actual Income to Date . . . . .	\$	179,167.76
Deficit to Date . . . . .	\$	(34,696.24)

Because of the holiday season, the bulletin will be sent in advance to the printer. The financial report for December 22nd and 23rd will be published in the weekend of January 6th.

**CALENDAR**

**CHRISTMAS SERVICES**

**DECEMBER 24, 2018**

- 4:30 p.m. Parish Children Pageant
- 5:00 p.m. Christmas Eve Mass
- 6:30 p.m. Musical Celebration of Christ's Birth  
with Choir and Instruments
- 7:00 p.m. Christmas Eve Mass
- 9:00 p.m. Christmas Eve Mass

**DECEMBER 25, 2018**

9:00 a.m. Christmas Morning Mass

*Have a Very Blessed  
and Merry Christmas!*

*From Fr. Kelley, Sr. Anna, and the Staff at  
Holy Trinity*



**RELIGIOUS EDUCATION** - The next class will be held Sunday, December 23 for students in pre-school through grade 8.

**PARISH OFFICE** - The Parish Office will be closed on Monday, December 24 and Tuesday, December 25.

**RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS (RCIA)** - There will not be any classes on Tuesday, December 25 (Christmas) and Tuesday, January 1st (Mary, Mother of God). The Next class will be **Tuesday, January 8th** with the topic "Sacrament of Confession" instructed by Claire Storm.

**GARMENTS FOR THE HOMELESS** - The weekend of December 29th and 30th, Holy Trinity Parish will be accepting monetary donations earmarked for the purchase of undergarments for the homeless in Columbia. Your donations will help to provide some simple human dignity by giving the recipients new undergarments. Thank you for your generosity.

**BABY BOTTLE BLESSINGS** - Sponsored by A Woman's Concern will be held the weekend of January 12th-13th. Becky Zuber will speak at all Masses that weekend.

**CONFIRMATION CANDIDATES** - Rite of Enrollment for **8th Grade Confirmation Candidates** will be held Saturday, January 19 at 5:00 p.m. Mass.

**ANNUAL SPAGHETTI DINNER** - Sponsored by the Jansen Foundation will be held on Sunday, January 20th from 12:00 p.m. to 2:00 p.m.

### **MISCELLANEOUS**

**VOCATION CROSS**  
this week is in the home of  
Jean Bourne



### **300 CLUB - SECOND DRAWING**

\$40.00 - #202	\$10.00 - #271
\$20.00 - #204	\$10.00 - #048
\$20.00 - #188	

**Tickets are available** in the parish office or from one of the sellers. Final drawing will be held Sunday, January 6th at 4:00 p.m. in the Parish Center



**CHRISTMAS FLOWERS** in the Church for the holiday season will be placed there in memory of your departed loved ones. The lists of those to be remembered will be posted on the bulletin boards in the vestibule of the Church.

**CALENDARS FOR THE NEW YEAR** have been placed at the entrances of the church.

**PARISH CONTRIBUTIONS** - As we come to the end of the calendar year, anyone who desires, for tax purposes, to have contributions to Holy Trinity Church credited to their 2018 accounts, should make them by January 6th.

### **OUR LADY OF THE ANGELS SCHOOL**

**THE ANGELS AMONG US GALA** will be held on January 12th, 2019. During the Gala, we will be honoring our Hall of Fame recipients; Deacon Jeffrey Baylor & Bernie Wolgemuth, Jr.

**CATHOLIC SCHOOLS WEEK** will kick off Saturday, January 26 at 5:00 p.m. Mass.

**SCRIP (FOOD CERTIFICATES)** to Weis and Giant supermarkets may be obtained Monday through Friday between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and noon, 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. at the parish office. These certificates benefit students who attend Our Lady of the Angels School and Lancaster Catholic High School.

## LANCASTER CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL

**KITCHEN STAFF NEEDED** - Lancaster Catholic is looking for part-time help in the kitchen. Hours are 8:45 a.m. - 12:45 p.m. Monday–Friday. For more information, please contact Denise Roof at (717)509-0306 or by email at drooff@lchsyes.org.

**ACTIVITIES FAIR** - On Saturday, January 26th from 1:00 - 3:00 p.m. in the Berger Gym, new student attendees will have the chance to speak and interact with various clubs, sport teams, campus ministry, and the Fine and Performing Art Clubs. At the Activities Fair, one lucky new student will have the chance to win **FREE TUITION** for the 2019-2020 school year! For more information and to register, go to [www.lchsyes.org/activities](http://www.lchsyes.org/activities).

**OPEN HOUSE** - Lancaster Catholic's Winter Open House will be Thursday, January 31st from 6:30 - 8:00 p.m. in the library. This is a unique opportunity to tour Lancaster Catholic with one of our students, observe our faculty and students in classroom activities, and enjoy performances from a variety of our student ensembles. Those who pre register will be entered in a drawing to win Amazon Gift Cards, and have the chance to win Registration Fee waivers (a \$150 value). Go to [www.lchsyes.org/open/](http://www.lchsyes.org/open/) to learn more and to register.

## DIOCESE OF HARRISBURG

**MARCH FOR LIFE BABY SHOWER** - Do you want to support local mothers in need? Are you unable to attend the 2019 March for Life, or want to support pro-life efforts closer to home? Then consider contributing to the "March for Life Baby Shower" on Sunday, January 20th from 2:00 - 4:00 p.m. at Holy Name of Jesus Parish in Harrisburg (in the Social Hall, the lower level of the old church). We will be collecting material gifts for local pregnancy resource centers. This event is sponsored by the Respect Life Office of the Diocese and the Harrisburg Diocesan Council of Catholic Women (HDCCW). For more information, contact Kathy Kokoski at [kath.kokoski@gmail.com](mailto:kath.kokoski@gmail.com) or by phone at (717) 448-899 or contact Debbie Black at [Mvdb01@verizon.net](mailto:Mvdb01@verizon.net).

**2019 RESPECT LIFE MASS** - The annual diocesan Respect Life Mass will take place on Sunday, January 20 at 9:30 a.m. at Good Shepherd Church in Camp Hill. This Mass is celebrated every year to commemorate the lives lost to abortion since 1973 and to pray for the building up of a culture of life in our nation from conception to natural death. Fr. Kelley will be the celebrant and homilist. Both he and Tom O'Neill will greet Respect Life leaders and volunteers from around the diocese in the narthex after the Mass. All are welcome!

**HERSHEY BEARS HOCKEY** - Celebrate Catholic Schools' Week with the Hershey Bears Hockey Team vs. Laval Rockets at the Giant Center in Hershey on Saturday, January 26th, 2019 at 7:00 p.m. This fun-filled action packed night at the Giant Center is open to all and is a great way to celebrate Catholic Schools! Discounted tickets are available for \$16.00 each for all ages, from the regular admission price of \$25.00. Deadline to order is Friday, January 18, 2019. For more information, contact [jdise@HersheyPA.com](mailto:jdise@HersheyPA.com)

**MCA CHRISTMAS ARTWORK CONTEST** - Calling all young artists! Students K-8 in our diocesan schools and religious education programs are encouraged to enter the Missionary Childhood Association Christmas Artwork Contest. Twenty-four winners will be chosen from across the US. Winners will have their artwork on display at the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception in Washington, D.C., during the 2019 Advent-Christmas season. Artists receive an award and participate in Mass and lunch at the Shrine with their families as guests of the national Missionary Childhood Association Office. In addition, two grand-prize winners will have their artwork chosen for the official Christmas card of the national director of the Pontifical Mission Societies. Last year, the Diocese of Harrisburg was honored to have two winners. **CONGRATULATIONS** to Colton Baddick of Sacred Heart School, Lancaster, and Jack DiRienzo from Saint John Neumann Parish, Lancaster for being chosen for last year! Deadline for submitting entries in January 31, 2019. Guidelines and entry form can be found on the diocesan website: [www.Hbgdiocese.org/MCA](http://www.Hbgdiocese.org/MCA).

