

# St. Joan of Arc Catholic Church

359 West Areba Avenue • Hershey, PA 17033  
Fifth Sunday of Easter      May 18, 2014

## PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday thru Friday 8:00 AM - 4:00 PM (closed 12:00-1:00 PM)  
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## Sacrament of Reconciliation:

Wednesday - 5:00 to 5:30 PM, Saturday 4:00 to 4:45 PM

## Sacrament of the Sick: Call the Parish Office.

## Sacrament of Baptism: 1st & 3rd Sunday of each month

Parents are required to attend one class. Please call the parish office to register.

## Sacrament of Marriage: Call the Parish office 9 to 12 months prior to the proposed wedding date.

## Parish Membership: Welcome to St. Joan of Arc Parish. Please register on our website or stop in the Parish Office.

## Bulletin Deadline:

In writing, the Monday before publication date by 9:00 AM.  
Bulletin email: [bulletin@stjoanhershey.org](mailto:bulletin@stjoanhershey.org)



## MASS SCHEDULE

**Saturday Vigil: 5:15 PM**

### Sunday Masses:

7:30, 9:00, 10:30 AM, 12:00, 5:30 PM

**Holy Days: 6:00 PM Vigil;**

6:45, 9:00 AM & 7:00 PM

**Daily Mass: Monday - Friday: 6:45 & 9:00 AM**

Saturday: 9:00 AM

**Rosary: 8:25 AM & 6:30 PM**

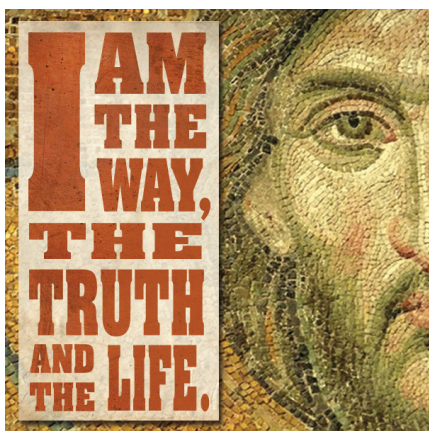
**Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament** on First Friday of each month from after 9:00 AM Mass until 9:45 PM closing with Benediction.

**Prayer Service** at 7:00 PM during Exposition on First Friday.

We, the Eucharistic Community of St. Joan of Arc Parish, by the grace of God and through our participation in His Word, the Church's sacraments, and prayer, seek our eternal salvation.

We live out the doctrines and traditions of our Faith in communion with the holy, catholic, and apostolic Church, established by Our Lord Jesus Christ.


With courage, we follow the example of our patron saint and invoke her intercession as we strive to know God, love God and serve God which moves us to actively promote and live the Gospel of Jesus Christ in the midst of our every day life.



**Pray for Them** The following parishioners or family members are ill. Please remember them and all the sick of the parish in your prayers.

**Vincent Savini, David Liddy, Kaitlin Buser,  
Rose Jennings, Janice Speaker,  
Sandy Adamkowski, Albert Costanzi**

Reminder: Names will remain on the list for six weeks.  
Please call to have them placed back on the prayer list.

 **If you would like to take the Pilgrim Cross into your home (for one week per year) and pray for vocations, please call the parish office at 533-7168.**

This week **May 19 - May 26** the Pilgrim cross will be in the home of the Mr. & Mrs. Paul Shiffler.

Next week **May 26 - June 2** the Pilgrim cross will be in the home of the Mr. & Mrs. Edward Meyers.



### ALTAR FLOWER MEMORIALS

#### MAIN ALTAR:

Special intentions for Dona Svelnis  
from loving daughter Kathy

#### BLESSED MOTHER:

In loving memory of Helen Schumacher and  
Agnes Connolly by Dan & Rosemary Connolly

#### RESPECT LIFE ROSE:

In loving memory of Edward Stover, Jr. by Tilley Stover  
In loving memory of Gary Garver, Jr. by Tilley Stover

### ALTAR FLOWER MEMORIALS AVAILABLE FOR:

**MAIN:** May 25; July 6, 13, 20, 27; Aug 3, 10, 17, 24, 31

**BLESSED MOTHER:** June 1, 8; July 6, 13, 20; Aug 3, 10

**SAINT JOSEPH:** May 25; July 6, 13, 20, 27; Aug 10, 24

**RESPECT LIFE ROSE:** June 15, 22, 29; July 6, 13, 20

Please call the Parish Office for all available dates.

We wish to thank the sponsor of the week

**Rick Yazinski, D.M.D.**

for advertising in our bulletin.



## Mass Schedule

### MONDAY, May 19

6:45 AM Salvatore Cordaro

9:00 AM John Dowd

### TUESDAY, May 20-Saint Bernardine of Siena

6:45 AM Stephen Tarangelo

9:00 AM Warren & Elizabeth Peters

### WEDNESDAY, May 21-Saint Christopher Magallanes

6:45 AM Margaret Hannagan

9:00 AM Rosario Lara

### THURSDAY, May 22-Saint Rita of Cascia

6:45 AM Katherine Potami

9:00 AM Alba DeAngelis

### FRIDAY, May 23

6:45 AM Deceased Fleckenstein Family Members

9:00 AM Barbara Sobotor

### SATURDAY, May 24

9:00 AM Chris Campana

### Sixth Sunday of Easter

**May 25, 2014**

*Readings:* Acts 8:5-8, 14-17; Ps 66; 1 Pt 3:15-18;  
Jn 14:15-21

The people of Samaria come to worship the Lord and receive the gift of the Holy Spirit. It is this same Spirit that leads us into the truth. In the body, Jesus was put to death; in the Spirit, he raised to life. We are called to this same glory.

### VIGIL, May 24

5:15 PM Vivian Ferrar

### SUNDAY, May 25

7:30 AM Larry Paule

9:00 AM People of the Parish

10:30 AM John Moran

12:00 PM Special Intentions for Father Chuks

5:30 PM Danny & Joan Marie Rittlemann &  
deceased Rittlemann Family

### Readings for the Week of May 18, 2014

**Monday** Acts 14:5-18; Ps 115; Jn 14:21-26

**Tuesday** Acts 14:19-28; Ps 145; Jn 14:27-31a

**Wednesday** Acts 15:1-6; Ps 122; Jn 15:1-8

**Thursday** Acts 15:7-21; Ps 96; Jn 15:9-11

**Friday** Acts 15:22-31; Ps 57; Jn 15:12-17

**Saturday** Acts 16:1-10; Ps 100; Jn 15:18-21

### HERSHEYPARK TICKETS

can be picked up Monday through Friday  
starting Monday, May 19  
from 8:00 AM to 12:00 PM &  
1:00 to 4:00 PM.

## Liturgical Ministry Schedule for May 25, 2014

	5:15 PM	7:30 AM	9:00 AM	10:30 AM	12:00 Noon	5:30 PM
<b>Lector</b>	R. Meinert	G. Duval	F. Ruggiero	M. Silvis	A. Gould	J. & S. Reilly
<b>EMHC</b>	N. Stewart	K. Robinson	K. Burkhardt	G. Bixler	V. Saplala	L. Rogers
	M. Totaro	M. Spaeder	T. DeAngelis	T. Crum-Ewing	S. Parker	M. Rogers
	M. Wetherhold	C. Eimer	M. DeAngelis	C. Evans	S. Cordaro	S. Susi
	Sr. Salvatoris		L. Demers	J. Evans	F. Garber	Sr. Eileen
<b>Altar</b>	M. McQuillan	M. Pruden	Z. Rauscher	A. Stinson	R. Saplala	G. White
<b>Servers</b>	D. O'Hara	J. Richey	C. Roche	N. Silvis	M. Tice	J. Wilson
	M. O'Hara	C. Robinson	F. Sallusti	L. Strader	C. Vargo	M. Yee
	J. Pegher	C. Robinson	A. Santoni	Q. Strader	K. Wall	D. Buser
<b>MC</b>	T. Meinert	P. Quirk	C. Zachary	G. Strader	J. Saplala	J. Yee
<b>Money Counters:</b> R. Deiling, B. Deiling, A. Pavone, M. Rogers						

**WE ARE A TITHING PARISH  
FOLLOWING GOD'S PLAN FOR GIVING**

This Year to Date \$1,215,000  
Previous Year \$1,214,000

**AREBA CLUB CHATTER**

The next meeting will be held on Tuesday, May 20 at 3:30 PM in the cafeteria. We will be having our annual sub buffet at \$6.00 per person and we will be collecting paper products for the food bank. **THERE WILL BE NO MEETING IN JUNE.** The next trip is Thursday, June 12, and will be an Extreme Amish Dine-around at \$109 per person. The Club's annual picnic will be held on Tuesday, August 19 from noon until 4:00 PM in the indoor pool at Holiday Inn in Grantville. The cost is \$22 per person and this includes your tax and gratuity. If you plan to attend, please make your reservation by Friday, August 8.

**MASS ATTENDANCE**

May 10 & 11, 2014

5:15 - 326      7:30 - 255      9:00 - 370  
10:30 - 510      12:00 - 280      5:30 -  
**TOTAL - 1741**



**Website Feature Spotlight:**

One of the most useful features on our website is the "Announcements" page. This page is designed to inform our parishioners of announcements within our parish community. This page is updated daily and includes links to related information.

To view this page, go to the 'Communications' menu on the parish website ([www.stjoanhershey.org](http://www.stjoanhershey.org)) and then select 'Announcements'.



**SAVE THE DATE!!** A special Mass will be celebrated by Father Rothen on **Thursday, June 5**, at 6:30 PM in the Church in celebration of the 10th anniversary of his ordination. A light reception will follow in the cafeteria.

**ALSO.....**

**KEEP THIS DATE OPEN!! June 22, 2014**

Plan to join us in a procession immediately following the High Mass at Noon to celebrate in a special way the feast of Corpus Christi. More to come.....

Please note: There will be no Life Teen Mass that day.



**From the desk of the Parish Nurse:**

In case of a Medical Emergency there is a First Aid Kit and Defibrillator in the Sacristy. Also a small kit in the wooden cabinet in the foyer. Signs will be posted. Please don't wait for a doctor, nurse or usher to run for these items. If a parishioner becomes ill or unresponsive call for the help of a doctor or nurse. They will stay with the patient and call 911 if the situation warrants. If no professionals respond call 911. Minutes count so it is important to get the Defibrillator and First Aid Kit immediately. Call the Parish Office if you have any questions for the Parish Nurse.





The **Knights of Columbus** will collect non-perishable food and personal care items before each Mass on the weekend of May 24 & 25 for the **Hershey Food Bank**. Please remember, we also accept monetary donations and all checks should be made payable to the Hershey Food Bank. Donations received by check are tax deductible.

Note: Volunteer Knights will be doing monthly collections for the food bank through the end of November. For more information log on to -[www.hersheyfoodbank.com](http://www.hersheyfoodbank.com).

Thank you for your continued support!

#### DAUGHTERS OF MERCY CALENDAR RAFFLE

The Calendar Raffle will run from June 8 through Oct. 19. Drawings will be every Sunday during that period with grand prizes on the last day. Each Sunday there will be one \$100 prize and four \$50 prizes. The grand prize will be \$2,000 with additional prizes ranging from \$1,000 to \$100. Tickets are \$20. They may be purchased through the school office. The raffle benefits the retired Daughters of Mercy. Thank you for your support.



#### SCHOOL NEWS

There will be a Buy one, Get one free book fair in the school library from May 19, 2014 through May 23, 2014. The book fair will be open from 8:00 AM until 3:30 PM Monday -

Thursday and 8:00 AM until noon on Friday.



EDGE is for grades 6-8 and meets on Monday nights in Meeting Room C from 7-8:15. The next EDGE nights are May 19. If you have any questions, call John at 533-1721 or [stjaonofarclifeteen@gmail.com](mailto:stjaonofarclifeteen@gmail.com).



**Life Teen Next Week - "Senior Send-off"** - It's hard to believe they are graduating. I can't believe how the time has flown by. We will honor all of them and thank them for being involved with EDGE and Life Teen these past year. All teens are welcome.

**No Life Teen next week!** - Have a blessed Memorial Day Weekend.

**End of School Year Bash** - The school year is coming to a close so let's end it the way we began, with a night of fun and games on June 1 following the Life Teen mass. I promise eggs will not be involved this time.

**Donations Needed!!!** - Life Teen and EDGE are looking for donations of water, juice, soda, and snacks for our youth group gatherings. Anything would be greatly appreciated and can be dropped off at the front office. Thank you so much.

If you are interested in any of the above, please call John in the Youth Office at 533-1721 or email him at [stjaonofarclifeteen@gmail.com](mailto:stjaonofarclifeteen@gmail.com).

LIFE TEEN YOUTH MINISTRY  
LEADING TEENS CLOSER TO CHRIST  
[www.stjoanhershey.org/youth-ministries.html](http://www.stjoanhershey.org/youth-ministries.html)



June 19, 20 & 21

The festival is in need of individuals or families to lead the following areas:

French fries      Dunk tank      Handicap parking      Advertising  
If you have a calling to help, please contact Brian at [stjoanvolunteer@aol.com](mailto:stjoanvolunteer@aol.com)

#### Silent Auction and Basket Raffle

Silent Auction needs angels to pick up 6-8 items being donated by companies. Please call Mary at 533-7168.

In the last 18 years since the Silent Auction began, it has raised \$156,400 for the parish. The expenses each year are minimal and include items like stamps and small amount of office products. It would be nice to continue to raise funds with this very low overhead, but we need your help to do it. Donations of gift cards, tickets and items for the baskets are needed. Monetary donations are also welcomed to help purchase items for either the silent auction or the baskets. Donations can be dropped off at the parish office. Please clearly mark Festival on your donation. Thank you for your support over the years.

Presently, we need items for the following Candle, Boys, Girls, Legos, Baby & Crayola baskets. A donation of just one item from you, our generous parishioners, would be much appreciated. If you have an idea for a basket or want to donate a basket, please contact Mary in the parish office.

**Jewelry booth** donations are being collected now. Your donation will become someone's treasure and your generosity will benefit our parish family. Drop off at the parish office, and please label Festival. Thank you!

**T-Shirts** Festival t-shirts available, click on the Festival link on St. Joan of Arc website and order yours today.

Congratulations to the following children who received the Holy Eucharist for the first time on Saturday, May 3. May they continue to receive the special blessing of Jesus each day of their lives.

Sarah Anderson  
 Anthony Bernardo  
 Matthew Berryhill  
 Tyler Brown  
 Michael Burns  
 Mason Callahan  
 Olivia Carter  
 Catherine Chardo  
 Kai Civello  
 Cara Cronin  
 Elliana Crosswell  
 Emily DeCristofaro  
 Enzo Delia  
 Kara Donaghue  
 Margaret Eldridge  
 Ellasandra English  
 Talia Fields  
 Megan Fitzsimons  
 Abigail Foran  
 Emilia Garibay  
 Gia Garrett  
 Sarah Gourley  
 Andrea Gusherowski  
 Matthew Hand  
 Ethan Helfrich  
 Kaitlyn Hoffman  
 Madeline Ingraham  
 Susan Kargbo  
 Joseph Katzenmoyer

Elisabeth Kosher  
 Adrienne Kulasinsky  
 Maggie Kushner  
 Victoria Kutz  
 Kaitlin Lawall  
 Luke Longarini  
 Gabrielle Lux  
 Chloee Lynch  
 Kelsi McGonigle  
 Rosalie Miklos  
 Ty Millhimes  
 Rebecca Mize  
 Kate Moniak  
 Alexander Murray  
 Maria-Clara Neves  
 Kyle Nguyen  
 Riley O'Brien  
 Peter Otto  
 Gianna Palermo  
 Paul Paterno  
 Tyler Perales  
 Francesco Rizzotto  
 Alexander Rodichok  
 Julia Rossi  
 Robert Rossi  
 Connor Roth  
 John Sallusti  
 Rees Schrode  
 Mia Seaton

Lauren Seip  
 Timothy Semisch  
 Robert Slagan  
 Thaddeus Stager  
 Jillian Stake  
 James Stickler  
 Marcus Sweeney  
 Tyler Treadway  
 Sienna Veith  
 Nathaniel Wappman  
 Emma Webb  
 Dominic Wetherhold  
 Markus Wingert  
 Roman Wintergrass  
 Dominic Wolfe  
 Ernest Woolever  
 Lauren Yazinski



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### THE HARRISBURG BEGINNING EXPERIENCE

Have you lost a loved one through separation, divorce, or death? The Harrisburg Beginning Experience is a peer ministry for the Separated, Divorced and Widowed, rooted in the Catholic Church, serving people of all faiths.

Beginning Experience weekends offer hope for a new beginning, a sense of community, and an opportunity for healing among those you can trust – people who have experienced a similar loss. During the weekend, a team of adults who have experienced the loss of a spouse will lead participants through a series of presentations, private reflections, and small group sharing.

The next weekend is scheduled for June 13-15, 2014 at Camp Hebron, 971 Camp Hebron Rd., Halifax, PA (just a few miles North of Harrisburg, PA). The Weekend begins Friday at 8 p.m. and ends Sunday about 5 p.m. A Beginning Experience Weekend will be the best gift you could give yourself.

For information and an application form contact, [harrisburgbe@gmail.com](mailto:harrisburgbe@gmail.com), call 717-512-2718, or go to [www.beginningexperience.org](http://www.beginningexperience.org).

## Are You An Altar Server? Do You Want To Be An Altar Server?

Please fill out the following form and return it to the church office or place it in the collection basket no later than June 8, 2014. New altar server schedules will be sent by e-mail at the end of August.

\*\*\*We need to know the intentions of all current altar servers. Please use the form below for this.\*\*\*

Those who are entering fifth grade in August, 2014, are ten years old, and who want to begin training and join this ministry also need to fill out this form and return it to the church office or place it in the collection basket no later than June 8, 2014

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\*\*Please Print

Name \_\_\_\_\_

First Name

Last Name

\_\_\_\_\_ I would like to begin training as an altar server.

\_\_\_\_\_ I want to continue to be an altar server

\_\_\_\_\_ Please remove my name from the altar server list.

Name of Parent or Guardian (Please Print)

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone \_\_\_\_\_

E-Mail \_\_\_\_\_

School \_\_\_\_\_ Grade \_\_\_\_\_ Birth date \_\_\_\_\_

\*\*\* New altar servers only. I am committed to attending five training sessions on Sundays from 2:30 to 4:00 PM during June and July. I am also committed to be a faithful altar server at St. Joan of Arc Church.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Server Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Parent/Guardian Signature

You will receive a letter during the week of June 8, 2014, welcoming you to this ministry and giving you the dates for Altar Server training that begins June 23, 2014.