

Pastor's Message

Are You hungry for meaning, hope, and purpose in your life? Interested in becoming Catholic?

Come, listen to God's calling and discover who He is calling you to be!

Explore the possibilities! All inquirers are welcome.

Join others in discerning and then preparing for reception into the Catholic Church through a special process called the *Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults (RCIA)*. RCIA is the normal way in which adults become full, active, and participating members of the Catholic Church and it includes prayer, reflection and study of the Catholic faith, practices, and teachings. Throughout the process, participants will have opportunities to explore how God is acting in their lives and inviting them into an even deeper and more powerful relationship with Him.

By desiring to enter into the mystery of the Holy Trinity - God the Father, Jesus Christ his Beloved Son, and the Holy Spirit - participants will come to share in the mission of the Church to bring the Good News of salvation to the whole world. The goal of RCIA, therefore, is to bring participants into full communion with Jesus Christ himself as the source, power, and reason for all of life and its goodness, truth, and beauty.

For whom is RCIA intended?

The RCIA program is open to all adults who have a sincere desire to explore the Catholic faith. This includes persons who **have never been baptized** in the Christian faith and seek to join the community of believers. These men and women are called "**catechumens**".

RCIA is also for those persons who **have been baptized** in another Christian community, but are now seeking to enter into full communion in the Catholic Church. These men and women are called "**candidates**".

Some Catholic adults were baptized in the Catholic faith, but **have never been fully initiated** in the sacraments of Confirmation and Holy Eucharist. These are also called "**candidates**".

Others who participate in the RCIA process are "**sponsors**" for the catechumens and candidates. Sponsors play a very important role in offering support and encouragement through their prayer and example.

When does the group meet?

Weekly sessions begin mid-September and continue through spring. The group meets every Sunday morning from 10:15 – Noon.

How do I begin?

If interested, or for additional information, contact the Parish Office at 569-8531 to make an appointment with Msgr. Richard Youtz.

News from the Parish

To donate your "gently" used furniture and household goods to the San Juan Bautista Thrift Shop, please call the Thrift Shop at 283-0289 or Ron Dell at 569-2637.

EWTN News! Remember to watch for the upcoming news on Blessed John Paul II.

St. Anne—Neumann Seniors

Trip to Savannah Charleston,
and Myrtle Beach-

November 10 to November 15

Cost: \$975 Double occupancy.

For more information contact Ed Carty at
569-7934 .

Join the Choir

What to bring: Your desire to sing joyfully
unto the Lord

Rehearsal starts Monday, September 9, 2013

Where: SJN Music Room

Rehearsals are Mondays from

7:30 p.m to 9:00 p.m.

Contact Kurt Kehler, Music Director at
569-8531 ext. 219



PARISH CALENDAR EVENTS

Sunday, September 15
FIRST DAY OF RELIGIOUS EDUCATION
 Religious Education 10:15 a.m.
 Confirmation Formation 10:15 a.m. & 6:45 p.m.
Ukrainian Mass/ 1:30 p.m.
 Food Bank Drive Bag Return

Monday, September 16
FIRST DAY OF RELIGIOUS EDUCATION
 Religious Education 4:30 p.m.
 Confirmation Formation 4:30 p.m.
 Choir Rehearsal/ 7:30 p.m./ Music Room

Tuesday, September 17
FIRST DAY OF RELIGIOUS EDUCATION
 Bazaar/ 9:30 a.m.
 Religious Education 4:30 p.m.

Wednesday, September 18
FIRST DAY OF RELIGIOUS EDUCATION
 Religious Education 4:30 p.m.
 Parish Council/ 7 p.m./ Rm. 11
 Oremus Catholic Guide to Prayer/ SH

Thursday, September 19
 SJN Ensemble/ 7 p.m/ Church

Friday, September 20
 Niners

Saturday, September 21
 Religious Education 8:00 a.m.

*PLEASE CONTACT BARBARA WAGNER TO PLACE
 YOUR PARISH EVENT ON THE CALENDAR EMAIL BARBARA AT
 barb.wagner@sjnlancaster.org or call 717-569-8531.*

If you are new to the parish please call the Parish Office
 and we can help you register. for the parish 569-8531.

Mass Intentions

Monday, September 16	9:00 a.m.	Doris Thornhill Requested by Ed and Connie Savoca
Tuesday, September 17	9:00 a.m.	Tyler Secrest Requested by Dr. Eileen T. Hinks
Wednesday, September 18	9:00 a.m.	Nancy Riddle Requested by Jack and Roberta Shaub
Thursday, September 19	9:00 a.m.	Patricia Ndu Requested by Udoka Ugoagwa
Friday, September 20	9:00 a.m.	Frank Gagliardo Requested by Bob, Angela and Zack Richards
Saturday, September 21	5:30 p.m.	Harry Youtz
Sunday, September 22	7:30 a.m.	People of the Parish
Sunday, September 22	9:00 a.m.	Shirley Kirchner Requested by Her Grandchildren Jack, Lyla & Ava
Sunday, September 22	11:00 a.m.	Mary Ann Meyers Requested by Kathy Flynn
Sunday, September 22	5:30 p.m.	Srecko Saric Requested by Michael and Dorothy Jurasinski

Niners meetings begin September 20, 2013.

Just a reminder that starting November 9th,
 Saturday Mass will be at 4:00 P.M.

Banns

Bann III- Shane Prutzman and Christa Yeager

Rest In Peace

Larry Sills

Readings For next week:

Sunday, September 22, 2013 Twenty-Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

FIRST READING: AMOS 8:4-7

SECOND READING: 1 TIMOTHY 2:1-8

GOSPEL: LUKE 16:1-13

IN YOUR PRAYERS

REMEMBER THE SICK OF OUR PARISH

ESPECIALLY ...

Ron Hess, Rose Fronczak, Thomas Bertlet, Gerard Rothwell,
 Lauren Amanda Campbell, Lillian Minichino, Mary Frey,
 Katie Martin West, John Scheuerman, Jr., Dolores Hess,
 Mickey Falcone, Rodger Mulvey, Dennis DeVorchik,
 Logan Andrew Bomgardner, Joan Cabry, Tom Carr,
 Silvia Gutshall, Pat Russoniello, Margaret Kropf, Margarete Erker,
 Betty McCracken, Helen White,
 Paul Hayden and all those in the Prayer Circle.

Sick and Shut Ins

*Please notify the Parish Office, 569-8531, if you have a loved one
 from the parish who is in need of our prayers
 and would like their name placed in the bulletin. Please notify the
 Parish Office 569-8531, when you enter the hospital. Also, call if you
 desire weekly or monthly Communion brought to you in your home
 or if you know of someone who does.*

PARISH HEALTH MINISTRY

CPR Training

New or Refresher for Adult, Child and Infant CPR

6 to 9 PM

at

Manheim Township Ambulance Association

1820 Municipal Drive

Cost is \$25

Dates: October 3, 2013

Or

October 22, 2013

To register, please contact Parish Health Ministry Office
by September 27, 2013 at 569-8531

Angela's Corner

Giving Cards

No. of orders last weekend: 11

Year-to-Date Sales \$17,990

Year-to-Date Earned \$ 948.33

Did you know that this ministry earned \$5,000 last year that was contributed to Lancaster Catholic High School towards scholarships for our parishioners? Try participating and become part of this rewarding program. For details see the volunteer at the table outside the Library.

Catholic School News

St. Anne School – Your Parish School!

Week of September 15

No school, this Wednesday, September 18. Our teachers will be attending a Diocesan Education Conference.

Sunday, September 22

All school Mass, Wednesday, 8:30 a.m. Leadership provided by the 7th grade.

Don't forget your Feed'em Friday donation!

Sunday, September 29

PTO meeting is this Tuesday, October 1 at 6:15 p.m. in the St. Anne Parish Library. All are welcome!

We will experience our first Living Rosary of the year on this Wednesday in the gym.

Wednesday is also a Mission Dress Down Day. Bring in a dollar for the missions and wear your favorite outfit

Join the "40 Days for Life" Campaign!

Pray to end abortion and make a difference in our community. Hearts ARE being changed as more and more people are learning the truths about abortion and the organizations that support it. Many SJN parishioners and LCHS students have joined in prayer and pro-life action. To learn more about our local "40 Days for Life" campaign, please go to the website www.40daysforlife.com/lancaster or call Bob Dunn 717-396-3838.

Fishers of Men Dinner

We are faced with a challenge! Many dioceses throughout the United States are facing the challenge of fewer vocations to the priesthood. We in the Diocese of Harrisburg are faced with a different kind of challenge – the need to provide solid seminary formation for an increasing number of men who are studying for the priesthood. What a wonderful challenge to be blessed with! As we have counted on your prayers for young men considering a vocation to the priesthood, so now we need your financial help in providing seminary formation for them. Please consider attending the Annual Fishers of Men Dinner on October 4, 2013 in the Cardinal Keeler Center at 4800 Union Deposit Road in Harrisburg. The Keynote speaker will be The Most Reverend William J. Walterscheid, Auxiliary Bishop of Pittsburgh. Hors d'oeuvres will be served at 6:00 pm and dinner at 7:00 pm. Please find more information go to the diocesan website at www.hbgdiocese.org/fishersofmen to RSVP or send a donation to this worthy cause. Let us meet this challenge together!

*Knights of Columbus invites you to mark
you calendars for...*

THE EUCHARISTIC MIRACLES OF THE WORLD



An International exhibit

MIRACLES ARE HAPPENING

And they're coming to the Social Hall here at St. John Neumann Church. Mark your calendar for some quality time with our Lord during Columbus Day weekend (October 12-13).

Saturday and Sunday (October 12th and 13th) in the Saint John Neumann Social Hall, the Knights of Columbus will be hosting the Vatican International exhibit The Eucharistic Miracles of the World. This photo exhibit was premiered in Rome in 2005 during the year of the Eucharist and tells the story of 126 Church approved Eucharistic Miracles.

Histories of actual events where the presence of Jesus in the Eucharis has been made visible to our earthly sense by seeing the consecrated bread and wine change into the physical human flesh and blood, by becoming luminous or levitating, by having images appear on their surface, or by some other miraculous event.

This exhibit has been shown in hundreds of churches across the United States.

The Sisters of Life



will speak at all Masses at St. John Neumann

November 9-10

As a contemplative/active religious community of women, the Sisters take three vows of poverty, chastity and obedience and a fourth to protect and enhance the sacredness of human life.

Speaking at universities, conferences, and retreats, they bring God's message of life and love.

The Sisters welcome pregnant guests to live in their convents and invite those who have suffered abortion to hope and healing through retreats.

Following our 11:00 a.m. Mass, they will be speaking at Millersville University and then F&M College for their 9:00 p.m. Mass.

All are welcome.

International Pilgrim Virgin Statue of Our Lady of Fatima will tour our diocese during the first three weeks of November 2013. Our Lady is scheduled to arrive at Historic St. Mary's on **Wednesday, November 20 at 7:00 pm** departing **Thursday, November 21 after the 12:05 p.m. Mass**. In addition, any of the faithful making a pilgrimage to Historic St. Mary's on Nov.21, *The Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary*, will be granted Plenary Indulgence when under prescribed conditions. For details on conditions go to www.stmaryslancaster.org, "St. Mary's Pilgrim Site, for more information contact Jerme Bolshazy, 399.9039 or www.miklos825@verizon.net

Silent Wine Auction

Auction October 6

Tempt yourself with the valuable wine related products up for auction in our Silent Wine Auction featuring the following fine wines. You can see the wines, get more information, and place your bids in the Social Hall beginning... **this weekend...**

Year	Wine	(Suggested retail price)
2009	Avalon Altas Peak Cabernet Sauvignon	3LT/ \$129.99
2000	Pio Cesare Barolo	\$99.00
2003	Fonseca Unfiltered LBV	\$99.00
2005	Ramey Napa Valley Cabernet Sauvignon	\$49.99
2008	Sonoma Cutrer RRR Pinot Noir	\$39.99
2010	Beringer Private Reserve Chardonnay	\$39.99
2006	Royal Tokaji Aszu 5 Puttonyos	\$39.99
2004	IL Molino di Grace Chianti Classico Rsv.	\$39.99
2005	Colle Dei Venti Dolcetto d' Alba	\$22.99
2009	Silverado Miller Ranch Sauvignon Blanc	\$22.99
2011	Fantinel Borgo Tesis Pinot Grigio	\$19.99
2009	Terian Alto Adige Terlaner Classico	\$19.99
2011	Domaine de la Quilla Muscadet	\$12.99

All bids are confidential, so make your first bid your best offer!

100% of the Proceeds go to sponsor our youth who will be heading to the National Catholic Youth Conference to learn more about being leaders in our faith!

Final Bid will be taken on October 6 at 6:45 p.m. !

Winner Announced October 13



Youth Ministry Soup Sales

October 5/6

Order NOW



Miss Linda's Chicken Corn Soup

___ x \$8.00 quart = \$ _____

___ x \$5.00 pint = \$ _____

Angela's Authentic Italian Wedding Soup

___ x \$8.00 quart = \$ _____

___ x \$5.00 pint = \$ _____

Name: _____

Phone: _____

Make checks payable to
SJN Youth Ministry

Please drop this form off in the Parish Office,
Youth Ministry Office or mail to the Church

REMEMBER TO PREORDER

Workcamp Meeting

Moore, Oklahoma and Haiti

Students ONLY

Wednesday, October 2, 2013

7:30 p.m.—8:30 p.m.

We will plan out the year for where we want to go. But the two above locations are being considered.