

St. Ignatius Loyola Catholic Church

March 13, 2022 ~ Second Sunday in Lent



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Weekend Mass Schedule

Vigil ~ 5:00 pm

Sunday ~ 8:00 & 10:30 am

(See Weekly Calendar Inside)

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Harrisburg, PA

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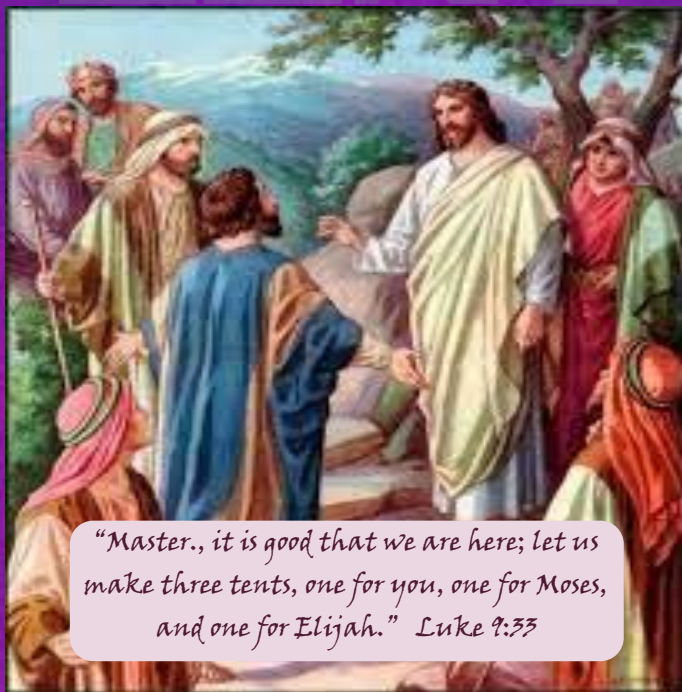
*If any requests are granted Russia
will be converted and there will
be peace in the world!*



At Fatima in 1917, the Mother of God cautioned that *“Russia will spread its errors throughout the world, raising up wars and persecutions of the Church. The good will be martyred, the Holy Father will have much to suffer and various nations will be annihilated.”*



LENT



*“Master., it is good that we are here; let us
make three tents, one for you, one for Moses,
and one for Elijah.” Luke 9:33*

Be Not Afraid!

See the Catechism of the Catholic Church, #314.

Mass Schedule, Intentions and Events for the Week of March 12 ~ 20

Saturday, March 12 ~ Vigil for The Second Sunday in Lent
5:00 PM MASS + MARILYN COLE

Sunday, March 13 ~ The Second Sunday in Lent
Genesis 15:5-12, 17-18 ♦ Philippians 3:17-4:1 ♦ Luke 9:28b-36
8:00 AM MASS + MR. & MRS. PAUL MCDANNELL
9:15 am - 10:15 am ~ Lenten Bible Study - Lower Loyola
10:30 AM MASS - PEOPLE OF PARISH

Second Collection: Easter Flowers



Monday, March 14 ~ 2nd Week of Lent
Daniel 9:4b-10 ♦ Luke 6:36-38
Parish Office CLOSED
No MASS

Tuesday, March 15 ~ 2nd Week of Lent
Isaiah 1:10, 16-20 ♦ Matthew 23:1-12
8:00 am - 2:00 pm ~ Parish Office Open
10:00 AM MASS - SPECIAL INTENTION FOR FR. FRANCIS HUETE, S.J.

Wednesday, March 16 ~ 2nd Week of Lent
Jeremiah 18:18-20 ♦ Matthew 20:17-28
8:00 am - 2:00 pm ~ Parish Office Open
6:00 - 6:45 pm ~ Confessions - Parish Center
7:00 pm MASS + ALICE TERNES
Adoration following Mass



Thursday, March 17 ~ St. Patrick, Bishop
Jeremiah 17:5-10 ♦ Luke 16:19-31
8:00 am - 2:00 pm ~ Parish Office Open
10:00 AM MASS - SPECIAL INTENTION FOR GINNY BITTLE



Friday, March 18 ~ St. Cyril of Jerusalem, Bishop and Dr. of the Church
Genesis 37:3-4, 12-13a, 17b-28a ♦ Matthew 21:33-43, 45-46
Parish Office CLOSED
10:00 AM MASS + Joan & Eugene Schott
7:00 pm ~ Stations of the Cross



Saturday, March 19 ~ St. Joseph, Spouse of the Blessed Virgin Mary
2 Samuel 7:4-5a, 12-14a, 16 ♦ Romans 4:13, 16-18, 22 ♦ Matthew 1:16, 18-21, 24a



Saturday, March 19 ~ Vigil for The Third Sunday in Lent
5:00 PM MASS + JIM BUCCI

Sunday, March 20 ~ The Third Sunday in Lent
Exodus 3:1-8a, 13-15 ♦ 1 Corinthians 10:1-6, 10-12 ♦ Luke 13:1-9
8:00 AM MASS - PEOPLE OF PARISH
9:15 am - 10:15 am ~ Lenten Bible Study - Lower Loyola
10:30 AM MASS - Special Intention for Caleb Keener



In the charity of your prayers, please remember:

Martin "Marty" Campbell

**We wish to extend our deepest sympathy
to Tom Campbell and his family on the
loss of their son, father, grandfather & brother.**

May they all be embraced by consolation and peace.

**+ Eternal Rest grant unto him and may
the Perpetual Light shine upon him +**



LENTEN FISH FRY



FRIDAY, MARCH 18

5:00 PM - 6:30 PM

Serving

**Potato Crusted Cod Fish
Homemade French Fries
Cole Slaw/Applesauce
Dessert
Drink**

**STATIONS
OF THE
CROSS
7:00 PM**

**Dessert Donations Appreciated
Drop off in Kitchen**

DID YOU KNOW... that a wonderful way to "give alms" this Lent is to help a Suffering Soul in Purgatory attain Heaven? You can! Holy Mother Church grants a plenary indulgence for Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament for one half hour, and also for piously making the Stations of the Cross (n.b. in addition to these actions, one must receive Holy Communion, make sacramental Confession, and pray for the intentions of the Pope). We can give this indulgence to a soul in purgatory. May we grow closer to God this Lent!



**Stations
OF THE
CROSS**

All Fridays of Lent

beginning Friday, March 4

7:00 pm

The 2022 Diocesan Annual Campaign
has begun. You should have received your
offering envelope in the mail.
If you have not, please contact the
parish office. Any checks should be made
out to the Diocese.



The Sanctuary Candle reminds us of the Presence of Jesus Christ in the Most Blessed Sacrament.

The Sanctuary Candle in the church is Offered for the month of March In Memory of



John, Louise & Bobbi Strasbaugh

from
Theresa & Gary Cowan



For the intention of the Holy Father, Pope Francis, for the month of March:

We pray for Christians facing new bioethical Challenges; may they continue to defend the dignity of all human life with prayer and action.

Ministers' Reading Schedule

March 12/13

5:00 pm - Mark Schur

8:00 am - Beth Gilbert

10:30 am - Mary Lou Graham

March 19/20

5:00 pm - Cheryl Sobun

8:00 am - Peggy Ernst

10:30 am - Dodie Huete



THE
FORTY
DAYS
of LENT

BELIEVING
IS
SEEING

Knights of Columbus ~ 40 Cans for Lent



Help the Knights collect for the 40 days of Lent for the Food Pantry.

They are collecting

Monetary Donations, NO Cans.

March 12 - 27

"The Knights of Columbus are not part of and not acting on behalf of the Parish or Diocese."



CONTRIBUTION TAX STATEMENTS

The 2021 contribution statements are ready. Again this year, copies of the contribution statements will be mailed ONLY upon request.

Anyone requesting a copy, please contact Sue in the Parish Office by phone or sswitzer@hbgdiocese.org



Please Pray for:

Coronavirus victims and those who are ill, Rebecca Baldwin & Bruce & Sara, Jim & Jeanie Kline, Tim McGinn, Jane Kump, Landon Thomas, Gary, Bill, Jerry, Andy, Colleen, Baby Addie, Danielle, Peggy Neiderer, Chris Kimple, Trey, Robert Riquet, Gene & Jo-Ann McDannell, Bob & Donna Doxzen, Kimberly Mears, Sheila, Gabriella Angello, Alexander, Lena Swartz, Mark & Kate Morrow, Calvin Cramer, Denyel, Mark Morris, Linda Fogleman, Paul Knight, David, Dennis Turner, George & Barbara Erstila, Jeff Carpenter, Lana, Nelson Harmon, Cole & Connor, Diane Slothour, Sue McDannell, Mickie & Larry Schneider, Joe & Lisa Grasel, Ange Pena, Julie Barnhart, Shaffer family, Heather, Em Dickerson, Endy Family, Brad Pabody, Adeline Lienard, Robbie, Michael & daughter, Mike Huete, Paul Ward, Aiden Tyler Schneider, Dorothy Vega, Karrie McCall & daughter, George Shahid, Mande, Marylyn Sobun, Drew Schneider & Family, Eileen, Ida Bloomfield, Linda McDannell, Ted, Janie Singley, Joseph Whalen, Mary Beth Greenstreet, Rick Benedict, Nelson Salem, Ryan, Jan Patla, Kathe Fogleman, James, Sam Sheffler, Jean, Kate Hemmis, Salem Shunnarah, Dennis Oehmsen, Bill Graham, Joanna Hodges, John Varones, Joan O'Sullivan, Donna, Martha Klinger, Lisa Dionne Lauretti, Sue Orndorff, Jim Gleason, Sue Gustafson, Rosemary McGilloway, Jenn, Michelle Cleary, Dalton, Kim Johnson, Helen Mills, Ray Haber, Haley Detman, Fr. Bill Sullivan, Kathy, Joe Durovey, Bev Smith, Daniel & family, Donald Sheppard, Ursula Kaley, Linda Mumaugh, Alison Haring, Hank & Loretta, Janet Hartman, Edward Johnson, Mary Irwin, Angela Galeone, Juliette Lang, Chris MacBeth, Harry Graham, Donald Howard, Armond Binni, Troy Weishaar, Elizabeth Stansky, Pat Johnson, Chris Morris, Peg Hippensteel, Faud Doaney, Rae Harmand, Marlene Iannotti, Patrick Glass, Helen Lagasse, Nancy Kewisnek, Andy Graham, Maureen McGilloway Collins, Anji Eisenhart, Monica Manner, Denny Borbonus, Paul & Helen Myers Scarlata, Mary Hawthorne, Ed Washington, Josh Kempinski, Nancy Baker Baltzey, Spencer Propts, Assour and Abuhajaze, Karlton Smith & Cheryl Sobun, Marlene Webster, Yvette Stoklosa, Andy Consiglio, Bill & Michelle Cloonan, Emile Shunnarah, Janet Shunnarah, Gorge Shunnarah, Bill & Deb McClintock, Mary Pekich, all nursing home residents, shut-ins, all parishioners, and all private intentions.

Also In your prayers please also remember all our men and women who are currently in our Armed Forces who are on active duty. Pray for them, their families, and for their safe return.

Maj. Nathan Jeffcoat - Marines, Lt. Alexandra Jeffcoat - Navy, Lt. Joseph Cleary - Navy, Michael C. Kenney IV - Coast Guard, Joshua Kimple - Army, Lt. Sarah Fogleman, M.D. - Navy CPT.

If you have a family member or someone who you would like listed in the bulletin for the parish prayer chain to pray for, contact:

Mickie Schneider at hlsforts@centurylink.net or 642-8501 or Helen Lagasse @ 352-4339.



Parish Listening Session: Schedule and Ways to Participate

► First Listening Session:

Sunday, March 27, 2:00 – 4:00 PM, Parish Hall, Light Refreshments will Be Served.

► Second Listen Session:

Monday, April 4, 6:30 – 8:30 PM, Parish Hall, Light Refreshments will Be Served.

⇒ **PLEASE RSVP OUR PARISH SECRETARY, [SSWITZER@HBGDIOCESE.ORG](mailto:sswitzer@hbgdiocese.org) OR CALL THE PARISH OFFICE (717-677-8012) AND LET US KNOW WHICH SESSION AND THE NUMBER IN YOUR HOUSEHOLD THAT WILL BE ATTENDING.**

If you or other family members cannot attend any of these parish Listening Sessions, you can participate by going to the Diocese of Harrisburg website and posting your responses to the ten synodal question in Diocese's Virtual Auditorium.
<https://www.hbgdiocese.org/virtual-auditorium-for-the-synod-on-synodality>

OR

Provide your response to the questions on the following pages, seal them in an envelope and drop off at the parish office.

What To Expect

Those attending each Listening Session are asked to arrive at least 15 minutes prior to the start of Listening Session. This will allow sufficient time to obtain a name tag, be assigned to a listening group, and get some light refreshment. Each group will have a facilitator and note taker assigned to their table to assist in the process of responding to each of the ten theme questions. The anonymous notes from each Listening Session will then be summarized into a parish report that will be sent to the Diocese.

Respectful Communication Guidelines (from the USCCB)

- R:** take RESPONSIBILITY for what you say and feel, and speak with words others can hear and understand
- E:** use EMPATHETIC listening, not just words but also feelings being expressed, non-verbal language including *silence*
- S:** be SENSITIVE to differences in communication styles
- P:** PONDER on what you hear and feel before you speak
- E:** EXAMINE your own assumptions and perceptions
- C:** keep CONFIDENTIALITY
- T:** TRUST the process because we are not here to debate who is right or wrong but to experience true dialogue!

This Invitation Method is a way to include all people in the conversation in a very respectful atmosphere. While each person is speaking, the others listen. No one may interrupt the speaker or jump in to speak without being invited by name.

It is hoped this will be a constructive process guided by the Holy Spirit that will empower the Church to walk together at all levels that move the Mission of the Church left to us by Christ Himself, in ways that are pleasing to God.

How To Prepare

Participants are encouraged to prayerfully study and reflect on each of the ten theme questions which are delineated on the following pages prior to the Listening Session. Space for noting thoughts and trigger points have been provided.

⇒ *Note: Throughout this document you will see references like (Preparatory Document no. ##).*

This refers to the original source, which can be found at The Synod Of Bishops "For The Synod On Synodality," which can be found at the USCCB website:

<https://www.usccb.org/resources/synod-preparatory-document>



From the Pastor...



March 6, 2022

To my St. Ignatius Parish Family,

It has been many months (pre-Pandemic?) since I have had the opportunity to address everyone registered in our Parish. In these unprecedented days of global uncertainty and darkness, it is imperative that we not lose HOPE, but continue on with the work of Holy Mother Church in the ways that we still can. It is important to remind ourselves that we are part of the Church WORLDWIDE and not just here on our little hill in south central PA.

Unless we have connections with Harrisburg, there are few of us who might have the opportunity to interact with our Diocese, and perhaps even fewer who might have direct links to the Church in Rome. So this initiative by the Holy Father, Pope Francis, called the "SYNOD ON SYNODALITY" is a way to make our voices heard in both. As you have learned, I pray, from the items we have placed in the bulletin, and now, from this document, the Pope wants input from not only individual dioceses around the world, but from individual parishioners – YOU! – as well. These parish efforts, leading up to the Synod itself at the Vatican in 2023, is a vital source of guidance to the Holy See in the years ahead. *HOW HAVE WE WALKED TOGETHER IN THE JOURNEY CHRIST HIMSELF GAVE US BEFORE HE ASCENDED INTO HEAVEN, AND HOW MIGHT WE DO BETTER BEFORE HE RETURNS?*

To that end, everyone is warmly invited to one of TWO PARISH LISTENING SESSIONS for input on ten questions that will guide the Church in this process. In the handbook that is being sent out, is a way for you to prayerfully consider and perhaps help you prepare for them. You need not bring anything written down if you so choose. We envision that these sessions are ones that give you a chance to participate in something greater than we may have had a chance to do before.

Kindly call or e-mail the Parish Office with your choice of sessions, or fill out the coupon below and drop it in the collection basket at your weekend Mass. Let us ask for the guidance of the Holy Spirit and the intercession of Our Blessed Mother, Queen of Peace and Health of the Sick, and our patron, St. Ignatius of Loyola, to show us all how to walk together as brothers and sisters in a more peaceful and just world.

With many THANKS and many BLESSINGS,

Fr. Dominic



Reply Coupon

I/We plan to attend the following LISTENING SESSION on SYNODALITY:

NAME / FAMILY

_____ [# attending] Sunday, March 27, 2PM - 4PM, Lower Loyola

_____ [# attending] Monday, April 4, 6:30PM - 8:30PM, Lower Loyola

*Please RSVP no
later than
Sunday, March 20*



LENTEN BIBLE STUDY!

Hungry for more?
Come feast on the Word to deepen your Lenten experience
in our parish's

Getting More Out of Lent

Bible Study

Sunday, March 13, 20, 27 & April 3

Our adult education group meets in Lower Loyola

9:15 - 10:15 am

Please contact Judy Wilson at 717/443-3139, or Dodie Huete at dshuete@yahoo.com
ASAP **so we can order a book for you.**

Join the group —or do the Bible study individually
We invite you to experience Jesus in a more personal way this Lent.

See <https://bookstore.wau.org/Getting-More-Out-of-Lent-P345.aspx>
for more information on this excellent study.

All are welcome!!

FRIDAYS OF LENT ARE DAYS OF ABSTINENCE.



4 Collection Weeks for the month of February

Thank You to all those who have been sending
in their envelopes and contributions.

Weekend Collections

Sunday	\$13,989.50
Candles/Living Faith	\$ 378.50
Altar Flowers	\$ 450.00

Parish Second Collections

Local Poor	\$ 1,401.00
Cemetery Upkeep	\$ 145.00
Ash Wednesday	\$ 135.00
Cemetery Lot Sale	\$ 750.00

Other Income

Individual Contribution	\$ 4,000.00
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Holy Day

\$ N/A

TOTAL OFFERINGS \$23,077.00

Diocesan Second Collections

World Mission Sunday	\$ 20.00
Church in East. Eur., Lat. Am., Africa	\$ 70.00
Propagation of Faith	\$ 1,335.00
Black & Indian/Poor Missions	\$ 403.00



Is the LORD Calling YOU?

St. Ignatius is in need of
READER's at all Masses.

If you are interested please speak with
Fr. Dominic or contact the parish office.

2022 **HERSHEY PARK**

Hershey Park discount tickets are available. Pick up an Order Form in the Narthex of the Church, fill out and return with your payment. You may drop off in the office or place in a envelope and drop in the collection basket (marked Hershey Park, office) **NO LATER THAN April 10th.**

Ticket Price

Purchase before April 29, 2022 \$39.95

regular price \$77.80

Ticket valid April 2 - January 1, 2023
(After May 1 \$42.95)



Single-Use Meal Plan

\$13.99 regular price \$15.85

Snack Voucher

4.50 (pre-purchase only)

Easter Bingo



Easter Ham Bingo will be
Monday, April 11.

Doors open at 5:00 pm.

The kitchen will be open and serving.

If you would like to help
please contact:

Donnie & Diane MacBeth @
717-677-9352.

DIOCESEAN ANNOUNCEMENTS:

DELONE CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL

Discover how Delone Catholic High School can help prepare your child to lead and to serve as a "Doer of the Word" in whatever vocation they are called to after high school, at the Spring Open House on Sunday, April 3 from 1-3 p.m. Meet the teachers, coaches, and moderators who will care for your child for the next four years as they study, pray, play, perform, and grow. To RSVP or to learn more, visit www.DeloneCatholic.org, or call

Mr. Matthew Thomas at 717- 637-5969, Ext.216.

Were you married in 1972?

*Celebrate your Golden Jubilee Mass
Celebrated by Most Reverend Ronald W. Gainer*

Sunday, July 10, 2022 at 2:00 p.m.

Good Shepherd Parish in Camp Hill.

*To receive an invitation,
please contact your parish office.*

March Annulment Presentations

The Tribunal Office of the Diocese of Harrisburg is hosting two presentations in March concerning the Church's process of petitioning for a declaration of nullity (annulment) of a previous marriage.

These presentations will be valuable to anyone who wishes to marry in the Catholic Church but who is impeded by a previous marriage that ended in divorce, or anyone who was married outside the Catholic Church. The presentations will cover the Church's understanding of marriage, types of annulments, the steps of the process and the grounds for marriage nullity.

Each will be conducted both live and virtually. All sessions begin at 7:00 PM. The schedule of presentations is:

March 7, 2022	St. Francis Xavier Center	Gettysburg
Spanish * ZOOM *	465 Table Rock Road	
March 22, 2022	Diocesan Center	Harrisburg
English * ZOOM *	4800 Union Deposit Road	

* Anyone wishing to attend either the March 7 or March 22 presentation by Zoom must preregister by sending an email to tribunal@hbgdiocese.org. Please provide your name and the date of the session you will be attending. The invitation and link to the meeting will then be sent to you. There is no need to preregister if you will be attending either meeting in person.

BECOMING CHAMPIONS

FOR CHRIST

Saturday, April 2th

8:15 am - 3:15 pm

2022 DIOCESAN MEN'S CONFERENCE at
Diocese of Harrisburg Conference Center

Keynote Speaker: Mr. Adam Janke

In-Person: \$35

Virtual: \$20

Register at www.hbgdiocese.org/men



FOSTER PARENTS NEEDED

A caring adult can make a lasting difference in a child's life forever. If you can provide a loving home, we will provide the support that you need. To find out how to become a foster parent, please contact Catholic Charities Specialized Foster Care at (717) 564-7115 or gpfeifer@cchbg.org. Classes start soon!



St. Josaphat, Bishop & Martyr

Patron Saint of Ukraine

in both the Latin & Eastern Rites of the Catholic Church

St. Josaphat Kuncevyč, Bishop and Martyr, was born in the little town of Volodymyr in Lithuania (Volyn) in 1580 or — according to some writers — 1584; died at Vitebsk, Russia, 12 November, 1623.

The [saint's](#) birth occurred in a gloomy period for the Ruthenian Church. Even as early as the beginning of the sixteenth century the Florentine Union had become a dead-letter; in the case of the Ruthenian Church, complete demoralization followed in the wake of its severance from Rome, and the whole body of its clergy became notorious alike for their gross [ignorance](#) and the viciousness of their lives. After the Union of Berest' in 1596 the Ruthenian Church was divided into two contending parties — the Uniates [the Orthodox Churches that stayed in communion with Rome] and those who persevered in schism — each with its own hierarchy. Among the leaders of the schismatic party, who laboured to enkindle popular hatred against the Uniates, Meletius Smotryckyj was conspicuous, and the most celebrated of his victims was Josaphat.

Although of a noble Ruthenian stock, Josaphat's father had devoted himself to commercial pursuits, and held the office of town-councilor. Both parents contributed to implant the seeds of piety in the heart of their child. In the school at Volodymyr Josaphat — Johannes was the saint's baptismal name — gave evidence of unusual talent; he applied himself with the greatest [zeal](#) to the study of ecclesiastical Slav, and learned almost the entire *casoslov* (breviary), which from this period he began to read daily. From this source he drew his early religious education, for the unlettered clergy seldom preached or gave catechetical instruction. Owing to the straitened circumstances of his parents, he was apprenticed to the merchant Popovyc at Vilna. In this town, remarkable for the corruption of its morals and the contentions of the various religious sects, he seemed specially guarded by Providence, and became acquainted with certain excellent men (e.g. Benjamin Rutski), under whose direction he advanced in learning and in virtue.

At the age of twenty-four (1604) he entered the Basilian monastery of the Trinity at Vilna. The fame of his virtues rapidly spread, and distinguished people began to visit him. After a notable life as a [layman](#), Rutski also joined the order, bringing with him a wide erudition. When Josaphat reached the diaconate, regular services and labour for the salvation of souls had been already begun; the number of novices steadily increased, and under Rutski — who had meanwhile been ordained priest — there began the regeneration of religious life among the Ruthenians. In 1609, after private study under the Jesuit Fabricius, Josaphat was ordained priest.

He subsequently became superior in several monasteries, and on 12 November, 1617, was reluctantly consecrated Bishop of Vitebsk, with right of succession to the Archbishopric of Polotsk. He became archbishop in 1618.

While each succeeding year saw fresh evidence of his fruitful labours, it also witnessed the steady growth of the hatred of the schismatic party. Finally on 12 November, 1623, an axe-stroke and a bullet brought Josaphat his martyr's crown. After numerous miracles had occurred, a commission was appointed by Urban VIII in 1628 to inquire into the cause of Josaphat, and examined on oath 116 witnesses. Although five years had elapsed since Josaphat's death, his body was still incorrupt. In 1637 a second commission investigated the life of the martyr, and in 1643 — twenty years after his death — Josaphat was beatified. His canonization took place in 1867.

Great were the virtues of the saint. As a boy he shunned the usual games of childhood, prayed much, and lost no opportunity of assisting at the Divine services. Children especially regarded him with the greatest affection, and found in him a worthy model. As an apprentice, he devoted every leisure hour to prayer and study. At first Popovyc viewed this behaviour with displeasure, but Josaphat gradually won such a position in his esteem, that Popovyc offered him his entire fortune and his daughter's hand. But Josaphat's love for the religious life never wavered. At first without a human guide along the paths of virtue, he received all spiritual direction immediately from the Holy Ghost.

His favourite pious exercise was to make a *poklony* (i.e. a reverence, in which the head touches the ground) with the ejaculation: "Jesus Christ, Son of God, have mercy on me, a poor sinner." Never eating meat, he fasted much, wore a hair-shirt and an angular chain, slept on the bare floor, and chastised his body until the blood flowed. The Jesuits frequently urged him to set some bounds to his austerities.

From his zealous study of the liturgical books he drew many proofs of [Catholic](#) truth, using his knowledge in the composition of several works — "On the Baptism of St. Volodymyr"; "On the Falsification of the Slavic Books by the Enemies of the Metropolitan"; "On Monks and their Vows". As deacon, priest, and bishop, he was distinguished by his extraordinary zeal in the service of souls. Not alone in the church did he preach and hear confessions, but likewise in the fields, hospitals, prisons, and even on his journeys. Even where his words of instruction might by themselves have failed, his entreaties and tears ensured him success. This zeal, united with his kindness and extraordinary love for the poor, won numbers to the Catholic Faith. Among his converts were included many important personages such as Ignatius, Patriarch of Moscow, and Emmanuel Cantacuzenus, who belonged to the family of the Greek Emperor Palæologus.

As archbishop he restored the churches; issued a catechism to the clergy with instructions that it should be learned by heart; composed rules for the priestly life, entrusting to the deacons the task of superintending their observance; assembled synods in various towns in the dioceses, and firmly opposed the Imperial Chancellor Sapieha, when he wished to make many concessions in favour of the schismatics. Throughout all his strivings and all his occupations, he continued his exemplary life as a religious, and never abated his zeal for self-mortification and prayer.

He awaited death with a certain yearning, refusing to avail himself of the opportunity of flight afforded him. After his death his influence was still greater: conversions were numerous, and veneration for him continued to extend. His feast is kept on the first Sunday after 12 November, according to the Julian Calendar.

Note: His Obligatory Memorial is currently kept on November 12 on the Universal Calendar.

Food for the Spirit:

Don't wait for the
Perfect Moment...
take the *Moment*
and make it
Perfect!

TRAVELING IS BACK!

Remember you can check for local Parish Mass
times at:
**MASS TIMES for
TRAVELING CATHOLICS**
(US only) **1.858.207.6277** or **www.masstimes.org**.

Upcoming Second Collections:

March

13 ~ Easter Flowers

April

3 ~ Catholic Relief Services

The LORD is my light and my salvation.

Sacrament of Penance

Wednesday ~ 6:00 - 7:00 pm; or by appointment.

Sacrament of the Sick

Anointing of the Sick should be given if an individual is gravely ill or near death. If possible, the Sacrament should also be administered before major surgery or when one is initially hospitalized.

Sacrament of Holy Matrimony

Diocesan policy requires 12 months of preparation for Marriage. Contact the parish as soon as possible after engagement. No arrangements should be made prior to consultation with the pastor.

Sacrament of Baptism

Parents must be registered members of the parish and attend a Baptism preparation class prior to the Baptism if this is your first child baptized. Requirements for godparents are established by the Catholic Church. Please call the parish office for information and to register your child for Baptism.

Parish Registration

All Catholics should be registered in their local parish. Please contact the parish office to obtain registration forms, or if you are uncertain of the parish where you should register.

Parish Staff & Ministries Directory

Parish Secretary ~ Sue Switzer ~ 717-677-8012 ~ sswitzer@hbgdiocese.org

Financial Manager ~ Deacon Steve Huete ~ 717-677-8012/677-0682/816-9600 (cell) ~ shuete@hbgdiocese.org

Coordinator of Religious Education ~ contact the Parish Office

Buildings & Grounds ~ JB Groff ~ 717-677-8012



Parish Council Members

Kathleen Allwein
Donnie Althoff
Jim Bittle
Danielle Cramer
Joanne Riedel - *Secretary*
Dr. Bob Ternes
Walt Wilson - *Chair*

Finance Council Members

Deacon Steve Huete (*Ex Officio*) - 677-8012
Greg Ernst - *Chair*
Christy Hemler - *Secretary*
Diane MacBeth
Phil Mobley
Terri Pendleton



Altar Flowers

Diana Stouffer 512-517-9997

Bereavement Luncheons

Ginny Bittle

Catholic Communications/EWTN

OPEN-Please contact office if you are interested

Cemetery

Contact Sue Switzer

Knights of Columbus

SK Bob Ternes - Grand Knight

Covid-19 Task Force

Walt Wilson - Coordinator
Health Advisors -
Dr. Robert Ternes and
Joanne Cochran
(Keystone Health System)

Life After Loss

Dodie Huete

OCIA

Contact Fr. Dominic

Picnic Co-Chairpersons

John Neiderer
Wally Kane

Prayer Chain

Mickie Schneider -
hlsforts@centurylink.net
Helen Lagasse

Pro-Life Ministry

OPEN

Soup Kitchen

Please send donations directly
to "Soup Kitchen"

Website Development

Erin Switzer -
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**Call the Parish Office for
Contact Information**



Diocese of Harrisburg
Youth Protection Program

Diocese of Harrisburg Youth Protection Program

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Abuse Reporting Contact Information

First – Call the toll-free PA Child Abuse Hotline at 800-932-0313

Then – Call the Diocesan toll-free hotline at 800-626-1608

"If one member suffers, all suffer together with it." (1 Cor 12:26)