

St. Ignatius of Loyola Catholic Church

June 14, 2026

The Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

Most Rev. Timothy C. Senior
Bishop of Harrisburg

Rev. Joseph R. Howard
Pastor

Deacon Steve Huete
Parish Manager



Weekend Masses

Saturday Vigil - 5:00 pm
Sunday - 8:00 & 10:30 am

Daily Masses

Mon, Tues, Fri - 10:00 am
Thurs - 5:00 pm

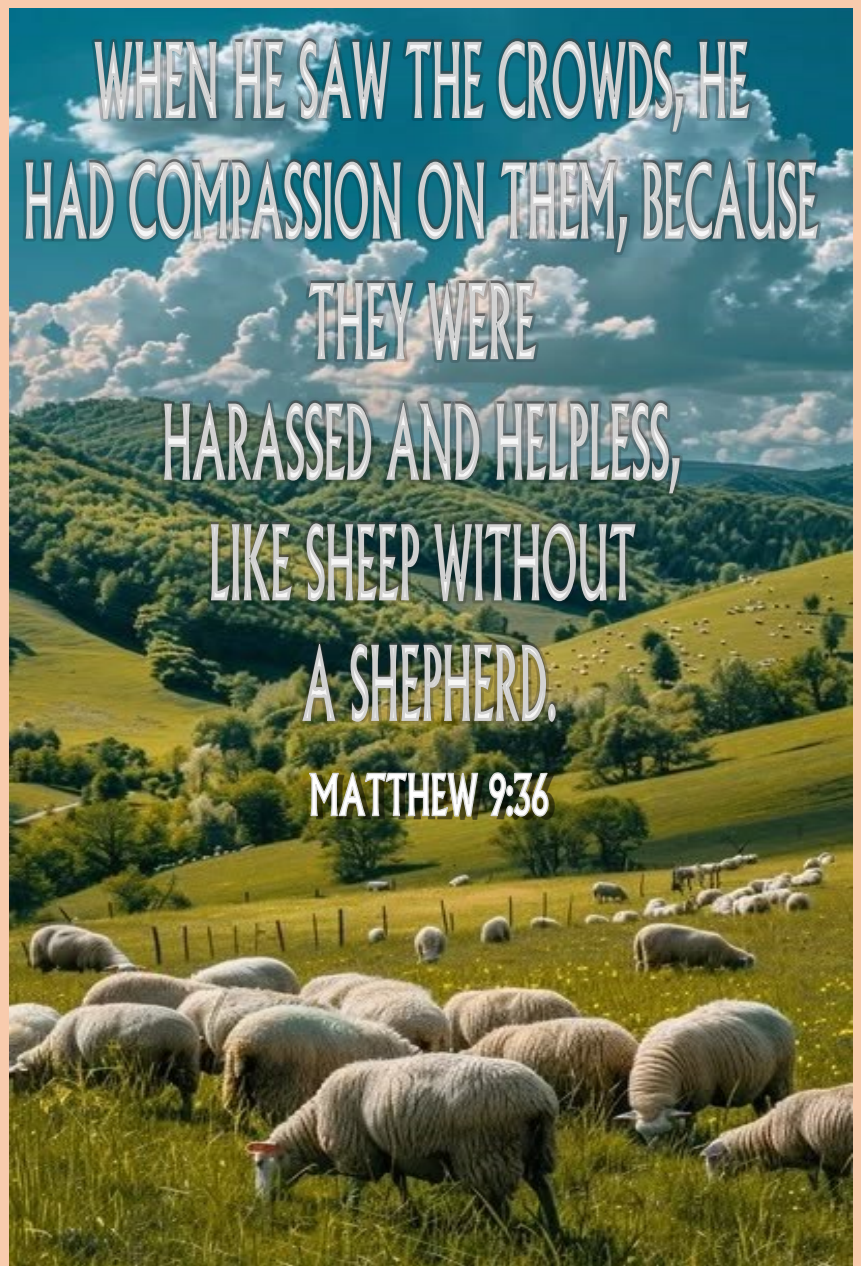
Holy Days of Obligation

See Bulletin



Confessions

Saturday - 4:15-4:45 pm
(parish center)
Or By Appointment



1095 Church Road, Orrtanna, Pennsylvania 17353

www.stignatiusofloyola.org | Office 717-677-8012

Parish Office Hours: Tuesday ~ Thursday 9:00 am - 4:00 pm

“The Week at a Glance” for June 13 ~ 21, 2026

Saturday, June 13 ~ The Immaculate Heart of the Blessed Virgin Mary

9:30 am ~ Knights of Columbus, Lower Loyola

4:15 - 4:45 pm ~ Confessions ~ Pastor’s Office, parish center

5:00 pm ~ Vigil Mass — Special Intention for Luke Zimmerman

Sunday, June 14 ~ Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00 am ~ Mass + Ray Deardorff

10:30 am ~ Mass — People of the Parish

Monday, June 15 ~ Weekday in Ordinary Time

10:00 am ~ Daily Mass + Gene McDannell

Tuesday, June 16 ~ Weekday in Ordinary Time

10:00 am ~ Daily Mass + Marilyn Cole

10:45 am ~ Spiritual Reflection Group, Conference Room

Wednesday, June 17 ~ Weekday in Ordinary Time

NO Daily Mass

Thursday, June 18 ~ Weekday in Ordinary Time

5:00 pm ~ Mass + Ursula Kaley

Friday, June 19 ~ St. Romuald

10:00 am ~ Daily Mass — Special Intention for Eustaquio Acevedo

Saturday, June 20 ~ Weekday in Ordinary Time

4:15 - 4:45 pm ~ Confessions ~ Pastor’s Office, parish center

5:00 pm ~ Vigil Mass + Doris Weaver

Sunday, June 21 ~ Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00 am ~ Mass + Bobbi Strasbaugh

10:30 am ~ Mass — People of the Parish

Second Collection: Catholic Communication Campaign

Happy Fathers Day

The Sanctuary Candles for

June

In Memory of

Dale Carl

from

Mark & Bonnie Phillips

and

In Memory of

Denise Baker

from

Dick & Roxanne Dennis

We are his people: the sheep of his flock

GREEN THUMB

The rains have caused not only grass to grow but also the weeds. Our church flower beds could use some attention! If you have any free time and would be able to help with the weed control, please stop by or call the office.

OR

Join the Church Garden Club to help beautify the church grounds. We currently have 8 spots that need some attention; front of church, right side and back of church, left side of church, Marion Pavilion, Grotto, cemetery altar, front of Loyola center, St. Ignatius statue in the field, and also to clean the statues around the church. Contact the parish office for details.



Picnic News...

The Buchanan Valley Picnic has been cancelled.

Thank you to all parishioners, family and friends for their commitment and dedication, especially our chair persons.

Please attend other activities that we hold throughout the year: dinners, potlucks, bingos, appreciation dinner, etc.



Next week our special collection supports the Catholic Communication Campaign. This campaign represents a mission of love to share the gospel message of hope with people in the United States using the internet, television, radio, and print media. Half of the money we collect remains here in the Diocese to fund local communications efforts. The other half supports the communication activities of the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops and other projects across the United States.

Your help spreads the gospel message!

Learn more at www.usccb.org/cc.

There will envelopes in the pews next weekend for this collection.



Please keep the following in your prayers:

Nursing Home & Homebound parishioners, our Military men & women, Fr. Howard & Parishioners. Please also include the following special intentions; Don DiDio, Trent Kennedy Roseann Leiner, Rita Shaffer, Marion & Roland, Barbara Gillin, Bernie Cabana, David Backus, Corona Naylor, Maryann Dickerson, Michelle, Monique, Jen & Jason Martin, Cherry Sanders, Tom Zimmerman, Maureen McGilloway Collins, Karlton Smith, Tom Switzer, Roseann Leiner, Barbara Lee Molloy, Mary & Chuck Irwin, Carranda Bark Doll, Willie & Mary Lou Graham, Tammy McCauley, Janie Singley, Peter Bellows, Shirley Marquardt, Lori McFadden, Kira Nowick, Katie Fellers, Carl & Sally Kempinski, Shelli Smalling & family, Kim, Kenneth Kwisnek, Paisley Topper & Topper family, Shelli Smith, Joanne Formosa, Frances Smith

If you or someone you knows needs prayers please contact Dorothy Vega 717-253-0051 or the parish office.

Is the Lord Calling You?

The church needs men and women to serve on the Altar with the Lord. We are in need of Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion and Lectors to read The Word of God. Please prayerfully consider serving for the Lord. We also need Altar Servers, 4th - 12th grade. If you are interested please contact Fr. Howard, Deacon Steve or the parish office.



We wish to extend our deepest sympathy to Dick & Connie Ward on the loss of their son.

Richard Ward Jr.

May he be embraced by consolation and peace.

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



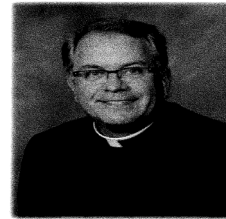

Just a friendly reminder...

Just an FYI, if you forgot, the C.C. group has hung an Appreciation Board in the Conference Room. Our parish has some pretty amazing people! There are several Thank You's on the board to parishioners for things they have done. Check it out, your name may be up there! Thank You to everyone even if your name isn't up there! If you would like to publicly thank a parishioner on the board, we have provided note papers and makers for you.

You are invited to the 48th Annual
CORPUS CHRISTI

MEN'S RETREAT

**Mount St. Mary's University
Emmitsburg, Maryland
July 31 to Aug. 2, 2026 Weekend**



Led by Father Dennis Gill

*The Most Sacred Heart of Jesus:
"A Heart that Forms the Heart of Men"*

For a preview of this outstanding pastor/author/speaker, visit youtube.com.

JOIN THE MEN OF OUR DIOCESE FOR A WEEKEND OF RENEWAL AND REFRESHMENT! For more information & reservations,

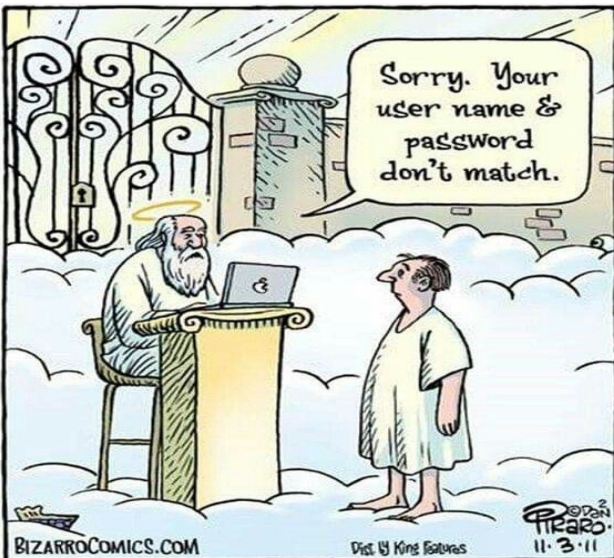
<https://cбургcatholic.org/mensretreat>
or

Deacon Steve - 717-677-8012

What do you call a
bee that can't make
up its mind?



A maybe



CEMETERY UPKEEP

During grass mowing season

PLEASE NO GLASS CONTAINERS OR VASES!!

Congratulations

to our new Parish Council members:

Roxanne Dennis

Diane Ebersole

Mike Miller

JOIN US FOR
**ST. IGNATIUS' FIRST EVER
PIE BAKING
CONTEST**

AND
ICE CREAM SOCIAL

FREE to
COMPETE



PRIZES
AWARDED

Sat., July 18th
2:15pm - 4:15pm

Calling Pie Bakers of ALL Ages!

Parishioners are encouraged to bring a pie to go with Ice-Cream.

Pie entries should be prepared in a disposable pie tin. Pie and crust must be made from scratch, NO store bought pie or crust is permitted and will be disqualified. Pies will be judged on taste, presentation and flakiness of crust. **BRING YOUR BEST PIE TO THE LOWER LOYOLA NO LATER THAN 1:00pm.** Winners will be announced at 2:30 and prizes awarded during the Ice-Cream Social.

Questions or info: Sue 717-253-8391/Carol 717-816-2713

Hosted by the Caring Community

Caring Community

Bake Sale

Fundraiser



& Quilt Raffle

Proceeds from Bake Sale will go to a Diocesan Seminarian
Proceeds from Quilt Raffle will go for Caring Community projects

June 27 & 28

After Each Mass

Dessert Donations are appreciated
and may be dropped off before Masses

for info. Contact: Joan 717-552-6027/Sue 717-253-8391

The Quilt is on
display in the
parish center lobby.

Tickets are for sale,
stop by the office
or ask a

Caring Community
member.

Caring Community

Quilt Raffle Bake Sale

1 Ticket - \$5.00

3 Tickets - \$10.00

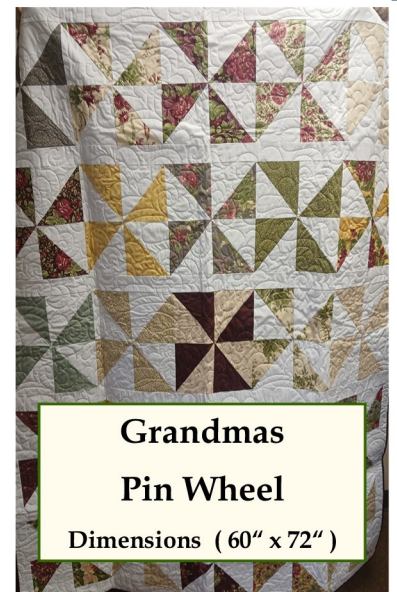
Drawing will be June 28, 2026

You do not need to be present to win

For tickets contact any Caring Community member
or the parish office.

Many thanks to Marilyn Peron for the quilt donation.

All proceeds will go to Caring Community Projects



Grandmas

Pin Wheel

Dimensions (60" x 72")



May 27, 2026

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

The Diocese of Harrisburg recently partnered with the Steier Group to test the feasibility and potential support for a major initiative to fund several key priorities. The study was conducted from January through March 2026, and we received feedback from over 2,100 participants. The goal of the study was to gain insights from clergy, faithful donors, and parishioners across the diocese. Thank you for sharing your thoughts during this important process.

At the conclusion of the study, the Steier Group presented its findings and recommendations to me, my Senior Staff, the Presbyteral Council, the College of Deans, and the Diocesan Pastoral and Finance Councils. Two preliminary findings stood out:

- There was a broad and even response across all areas of the diocese – a sign that the survey results are representative of our registered Catholic population.
- 70% of respondents were in favor of a fundraising initiative and 76% indicated they would financially support the effort.

I encourage you to review the summary to learn more about the results on our website, www.hbgdiocese.org.

I have taken to heart all the constructive comments and suggestions voiced during this study, and with the support of my Senior Staff, Presbyteral Council, the College of Deans, as well as the Diocesan Pastoral and Finance Councils, we will begin preparations for a major fundraising initiative this month.

Many of the respondents provided very helpful feedback which will be seriously considered as we finalize the case statement and specific details for this initiative. Others raised thoughtful questions about the timing of a major fundraising initiative given current political and economic uncertainty. I respect those concerns. At the same time, when I look at our diocese and our nation, I see a Church that is alive and growing, with people seeking a deeper encounter with Jesus Christ. Considering the large number of people coming into the Catholic Church this past Easter, this is a moment filled with opportunity, and I believe we are called to respond with faith and confidence. Now is the time to move forward with hope and trust in God.

With that, there is much planning to do. In the coming months, we will develop more specific plans that detail how funds from this initiative will be used. Other questions must also be answered, including how this initiative will complement the Diocesan Annual Campaign, the overall structure of this effort, and how parishes and parishioners will be asked to participate. We will share this information with you as we make progress.

As we embark on this journey, please join me in praying to St. Patrick, the patron of our diocese, that through his intercession, we may rise to the challenges and opportunities of this effort, and that ultimately, we will strengthen the future of our diocese for decades to come.

Sincerely in Christ,

Most Reverend Timothy C. Senior
Bishop of Harrisburg

The Church has always had a special regard for her widows.

The Intentions of the Widows of our parish will be remembered in a Mass for them on

Thursday, July 16 at 5:00pm.

At the close of Mass there will be a blessing upon them for comfort and consolation.

After the Mass, all in attendance, please join together for a light fare in the Loyola Café (Conference Room).

Luke 7:12-15

POC - Mary Rebscher 717-677-7201

“Path of Love” in the Garden of the “Memorial of the Unborn”

If you would like to purchase a brick paver In Honor or In Memory of someone there are open spaces. To purchase a paver please contact the Parish Office M-Th.

The cost is \$75.00 or 2 for \$140.00.



**Thank You to all those who supported the
Bake Sale & Quilt Raffle.**

**The Bake Sale raised \$1,166.00 for the
Seminararian whom the church will be helping this coming
Fall, whether with a lil' financially, letters from
parishioners, note cards, etc. Details will be posted once
Fr. Weaver lets us know who the Seminararian will be.**

Diocesan & Local Church News/Events:

Care Manager: Full-time vacancy

As a Care Manager, you will serve as a trusted guide and advocate for the clergy of the Diocese of Harrisburg, helping them navigate the complexities of healthcare while supporting their overall well-being. Rather than providing hands-on clinical care, you will serve as a compassionate coordinator and advocate. The Care Manager role is a key component of Clergy Care, a dedicated service of Meta Care, Inc., who are partnering with the Diocese. Meta Care delivers impactful, adaptable strategies that respond to the complexities of today's healthcare environment, ensuring members receive the right care, in the right place, at the right time.

- Minimum 3 years of healthcare experience required.
- Preferred LPN or RN (active license not required). Ideal for nurses seeking a meaningful non-bedside role.
- Experience in clinical or medical office settings with a passion for helping individuals navigate the healthcare system.

Availability: This position is available immediately. If you are compassionate, detail-oriented, and inspired by the opportunity to support clergy members in their health and wellness journey, please submit your resume and a cover letter to REC@metacareusa.com. **The full job description can be found at www.hbgdiocese.org/careers.**

Join the excitement of the **Golf Ball Drop Raffle** at the 24th Annual Interfaith Shelter Golf Classic! For just \$25, you can purchase a golf ball for a chance to win the \$1,000 grand prize while supporting Interfaith Shelter for Homeless Families. Before dinner on the day of the tournament, all golf balls will be dropped onto the course, and one lucky ball will be selected by Bishop Senior as the winner. Every purchase helps provide shelter, stability, and hope to families experiencing homelessness in our community. Purchase your golf ball today: <https://bit.ly/4b1TD5o>

The Saint Thomas More Society of Central Pennsylvania is an organization of Catholic lawyers, judges, public office holders, paralegals, legal assistants, and law students.

The Society respectfully invites you to attend the Feast Day Mass of Saints Thomas More and John Fisher.

Monday, June 22, 2026 at 8 a.m.

The Mass will be celebrated by Reverend Timothy Sahd at Seven Sorrows of the Blessed Virgin Mary Church in Middletown. Mass will be preceded by an all-night Adoration of the Most Blessed Sacrament from 10 p.m. Sunday to an hour before Mass. Adoration will be in the rectory chapel on 280 N. Race St., Middletown.

Light refreshments will be served after Mass. The public is welcome to participate in all events.

The purpose of this Mass, held at the start of Religious Freedom Week, is to gather to pray for God's guidance and to invoke blessings, through the intercession of Thomas More and John Fisher, upon those who work in the administration of justice or government.



Dates to Remember

June 27/28 Caring Comm. Bake Sale
 July 4 Happy 4th of July
 16 Mass for ALL Widows
 18 Pie Baking Contest &
 Ice-Cream Social

Upcoming Collections

June
21 - Catholic Communication
Campaign
(second collection)



Did you know...

Everything you need is already inside you.

Sacrament of Penance

Saturday ~ 4:15 - 4:45 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 Directory

Pastor - Fr. Howard - 717-677-8012 - frjhoward@hbgdiocese.org

Pastoral Staff

Parish Manager - Deacon Steve Huete - 717-816-9600 - shuete@hbgdiocese.org

Finance Coordinator - John Neiderer - 717-578-7536 - jneiderer@hbgdiocese.org

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

Maintenance - OPEN

Councils

Pastoral Council Members

Roxanne Dennis - 717-352-4777
 Kathy Dietsch - 717-352-4558
 Diane Ebersole - 717-552-4056
 Beth Gilbert - 717-673-1002
 Sue Jeffcoat - 717-677-6544
 Mike Miller - 717-677-9584
 Mary Osmolenski - 717-778-1390

Finance Council Members

Greg Ernst - 717-352-6098
 Ali Morris - 717-360-3903
 Bill Pulig - 717-870-9456
 Dorothy Vega - 717-253-0051
 Terri Pendleton - 717-360-6804



Buildings & Grounds

Greg Osmolenski - Chair

Wally Kane, Donnie Althoff, Tom Switzer, Rob Mentzer, Mike Baker, Al Jeffcoat, Andy Lower, Brian Ambrose, John Neiderer

See full parish directory on our website, lobby bulletin board or call the parish office.



Diocese of Harrisburg Youth Protection Program

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www.YouthProtectionHBG.com

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

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