



Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time



The flowers on St. Joseph's Altar have been designated by Tucker and Holly Lawrence in memory of Doris Marie Lawrence.

Mass Intentions

Sat.	5:30p.m.	James Small, Sr.
Sun.	7:30a.m.	Sister Adelaide Bennett, SSJ
	10:00a.m.	The People of the Parish
Mon.	8:00a.m.	Frank and Mary Lawrence
Tues.	8:00a.m.	Living & deceased members of Wm. F. Nicholson, Sr. family
Wed.	8:00a.m.	Helen Pater
Thurs.	8:00a.m.	Living & deceased members of Bernard P. & Mary Murren family
Fri.	8:00a.m.	Living & deceased members of George & Annie Little family
Sat.	5:30p.m.	Claude Murren & Marguerite Smith
Sun.	7:30a.m.	The People of the Parish
	10:00a.m.	Teresa Boden

This weekend we welcome the newest member into our Parish Family through the Sacrament of Baptism:



Adam Lee Arter,
son of Daniel and Jennifer (Livelsberger) Arter.
Congratulations to the new family!

From the Pastor: St. Margaret Mary Alacoque is featured in the painting located over the high altar. She was born in France in 1647. She was a sickly child but had grown stronger as she aged and entered the Visitation convent when she was 24 years old. She was considered humble, simple and frank but was also seen as unskilled in the manual tasks assigned to her. She was not allowed to make her religious profession at the normal time but was instead deferred for several months. In other words, she was not considered to be destined for greatness but only a child in a grown up body. Beginning on December 27, 1673, and continuing over 18 months, she received apparitions of Our Lord during which He manifested His desire that devotion to His Sacred Heart be fostered. The central points of this devotion are: reception of Holy Communion on the first Friday of each month, Eucharistic adoration during a "Holy Hour" on Thursdays, and the celebration of the Feast of the Sacred Heart.

St. Margaret Mary recorded this in her diary and shared it with her spiritual director who began to preach about the Sacred Heart. This devotion began to receive approval for celebration in certain places

in 1693, three years after the death of St. Margaret Mary. Our outside statue of the Sacred Heart has the following inscribed: *Child, give me thy heart and learn to keep my ways.* St Margaret Mary gave her heart to Jesus and learned to keep His ways. We pray that she will intercede to help us follow her example.

Monthly Financial Data

The Diocese changed accounting systems on July 1st. Unfortunately, they have been unable to provide monthly financial statements to us as they did in the past. We hope this will be corrected in the next couple of months.

For those who have preordered Ornaments they are available at the Parish Office. We also have a few left over so if you haven't ordered one contact the Parish Office at 637-2721.

There is a desperate need for adults to teach English as a Second Language (ESL) to those who are in need of learning our language. It takes a lot of courage to leave your home and family, and all you know, to go to a new country and begin anew. Why not extend a hand and help those who are in need, especially during this Year of Mercy. All you need is a willingness to help others. For questions or additional information, please contact Judith E. Ciancio at juditheciancio@comcast.net or 717-476-0405.

Immaculate Conception will host a Bingo on Sun. Oct. 23rd at 1:30p.m. in the school hall. Plan for an afternoon of fun with family and friends. Prizes include *Thirty-One* and Vera Bradley bags, Alex and Ani, local gift certificates and more. Tickets are \$15 in advance and \$18 at the door. Doors open at 12:00p.m. For tickets or information call Rosemary Lowas, 825-1922.

A Healing Mass will be held here Sat. Oct. 29th at 11:00a.m. A social with light refreshments will be held in the Parish Hall immediately following the Mass. All are welcome to attend.

Junior Choir rehearsal will begin on Sun. Oct. 30th. Rehearsals are held in the choir loft from 8:45 until 9:30a.m. The Junior Choir is open to students in grades 2 through 8. Registration forms with the rehearsal/Mass schedule are available in the church vestibule. For more information please contact Jody Richter at (717) 524-8684 or songbird62@embarqmail.com.

The Delone Catholic Interact Club will be holding a Pit Beef/Pork/Chicken Fundraiser on Sat. Nov. 5th from 11:00a.m. – 3:00p.m. in the South St. parking lot. Little Everett's BBQ will be supplying the food. All profits will be donated to the Hanover Area Council of Churches Provide-a-Lunch Program.

Immaculate Conception Church New Oxford, will host speaker

Steven Hemler on the topic: "Why Does a Loving God Allow Evil, Pain & Suffering?" Sun. Nov. 6th at 7:00p.m. All are welcome to attend.

The Tribunal of the Diocese of Hbg will be giving a presentation concerning marriage, divorce and annulment according to Church teaching. **This session will be held on Nov. 9th at 7:00p.m., in the Cardinal Keeler Center, 4800 Union Deposit Rd, Hbg.** No prior registration is required. For further information, please call 717-657-4804, ext. 304 or email: tribunal@hbgiocese.org.

A second collection will be taken for the victims of Hurricane Matthew Nov. 12th and 13th.

Cub Scout Pack 107 will conducting their annual Chicken BBQ on Sat. Nov. 12th at Annunciation BVM School Hall in McSherrystown. Advance tickets will be available after all Masses Oct. 29th and 30th. Meals include: 1/2 chicken, baked potato, roll, and applesauce - all for only \$8.50.

The Women of the Sacred Heart will present a Women's Mini-Retreat – "Woman's Prayer: Heart to Heart" Sat. Nov. 12th from 8:00–10:00a.m. The presenter is Sister Thelma Steiger, HSF, Ph.D. Advent is fast approaching, what better time than now to check out the many types of prayer and/or pathways to speak and listen to our Lord. Child care available. Sign-up sheets are in the Church vestibule. For more information call Deb McAulay at 632-7708.

St. Francis Xavier Parish Gift Fair and Holiday Bazaar will be held on Sat. Nov. 12th from 8:00a.m. to 2:30p.m. at Xavier Ctr. 465 Table Rock Road, Gettysburg. Local vendors, Fair Trade & holiday gifts, timeless treasures, baked goods, door prizes, 50/50 drawing and raffles. Café offering continental breakfast and lunch items. Free admission & parking. See www.sfxpccw.org for more details.

Sacred Heart School News

Sacred Heart Day at Hoss's Restaurant will be Tues. Oct. 25th. Cards are at the doors of the Church this weekend.

The Home and School Association once again welcomes you to our annual Sacred Heart School Christmas Craft Show & Bazaar on Sat. Nov. 19th from 9:00am - 3:00pm. There will be a variety of handcrafted vendors and artists, homemade baked goods, raffles, a silent auction, lunch and much more; and for the little ones and the young at heart that Jolly old fella, Santa Claus will be celebrating the day with us. For more information, you may contact the School Office at 632-8715 Mon. - Fri. between the hours of 8:00a.m.-3:00pm.