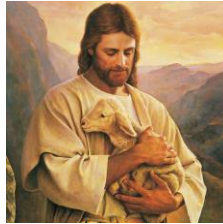


# Fourth Sunday of Easter

The flowers on the main Altar have been designated by the family of Bob & Jean Timmins in honor of their 50<sup>th</sup> Wedding Anniversary. Congratulations!

## Mass Intentions



Sat.	5:30p.m.	Burnell Lawrence
Sun.	7:30a.m.	The People of the Parish
	10:00a.m.	Raymond & Helen Cronauer
Mon.	8:00a.m.	Earl "Wayne" Gamble
Tues.	8:00a.m.	Richard & Jason Jacoby
Wed.	8:00a.m.	Bud, Rita and Salome Pohlman
Thurs.	8:00a.m.	Marie Timmins
Fri.	8:00a.m.	Joan Miller
Sat.	5:30p.m.	Kathy Strausbaugh
Sun.	7:30a.m.	Keith A. Adams
	10:00a.m.	The People of the Parish

## offertory Procession

Sat. May 13 <sup>th</sup>	5:30p.m.	Mr. and Mrs. Tom Myers
Sun. May 14 <sup>th</sup>	7:30a.m.	Mr. and Mrs. Michael Noel
	10:00a.m.	Mr. and Mrs. Steve Corey

**From the Pastor:** Next Sunday is Mother's Day. April 28 is the feast day of St. Gianna Molla. She was canonized in 2004 and was the first mother canonized who did not enter religious life. St. Gianna received her medical degree in 1949 and began a medical practice. She married in 1955. During her fourth pregnancy in 1961, she developed a fibroma on her uterus. She refused permissible medical treatment which would have resulted in the death of her unborn child. St. Gianna instructed her husband: "If you have to decide between me and the child, do not hesitate; I demand it, the child, save it." She gave birth to a girl on Holy Saturday of 1962 and died seven days later of septic peritonitis. Pope Paul VI described her as: "... a mother who, in order to give life to her baby, sacrificed her own life in deliberate immolation."

St Gianna has continued her support of the unborn after her death. Her canonization miracle involved her intercession on behalf of a Brazilian woman (Elizabeth) who suffered complications during pregnancy. At sixteen weeks, there was a tear in the placenta and all the amniotic fluid drained out. She was able to carry the child to term and deliver a healthy baby. Elizabeth's obstetrician observed: "Contradicting all logic and science, this pregnancy continued without infection, without premature labor and without any fetal anomalies. The reality is that God sent us Gianna, who today is the pride of us all..."

**The Diocese has put out a call for new Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion.** You have to be a member of the Parish, at least 18 years of age, and in good standing with the Catholic Church. Please contact Fr. Howard at the Parish Office by

calling 637-2721. There is a need for more Ministers at all Masses.

**We will begin our weekly Sun. May Devotions with the May Procession this Sun. at 7:00p.m.** The Procession will begin in the Parish Hall (weather permitting). All are welcome to attend this timeless event. **Also, if you would like to place flowers on Mary's Altar there are blue pages in the flower book to sign up.** PLEASE include your name, address and most importantly your phone number which becomes your account number. Our florist, "A Little Bit of Love" will bill you directly.

**We need 7 flower arrangements for the Sacred Heart Statue for our Feast Day, Fri. June 23<sup>rd</sup>.** If you are interested, there is a separate paper in the Flower Book in the back of Church.

**The Delone Athletic Assoc. is sponsoring a Chicken BBQ Sun. May 7<sup>th</sup> from 11:00a.m. – 1:00p.m. on Delone Ave. near "The Shack".** The cost of the meal is \$8.50 and includes half-chicken, baked potato, applesauce and a roll. For tickets contact Delone 637-5969 or Patty Smith at 717-451-7618.

**The Children's Rosary Group will meet Sun. May 7<sup>th</sup> at 3:00p.m. at the Adoration Chapel in McSherrystown.** Rosaries and prayer books will be provided. For more information contact Vicky Bunty at 632-3245.

**The Sisters of St. Joseph announce a limited number of openings in their "5 day-full day" program for four year olds for next year at St. Joseph Academy Pre-School.** For registration information contact Sister Deborah Hughes by May 8<sup>th</sup>, at [dhughes@ssjphila.org](mailto:dhughes@ssjphila.org)

**Help is needed to clean the Church Thurs. May 11<sup>th</sup> at 9:00a.m.** Please bring a rag and bucket.

**On Thurs. May 11<sup>th</sup> at 2:00p.m. the Health Care Ministers will host Chris Livelsberger, who will discuss the Spiritual & Corporal Works of Mercy at the home of Christine Reynold 2691 Centennial Rd. Hanover.** All are welcome to attend.

**A Bake Sale sponsored by A&B Religious Shop and hosted by Kyle Snyder for his Pro-Life project, will be held Sat. May 13<sup>th</sup> between 10:00a.m. – 1:00p.m. at 1150 Elm Ave., Hanover.** ALL proceeds benefit Tender Care Pregnancy Consultation Services.

**The East Berlin Community Singers along with the Lake Meade Orchestra, invite you to attend the 4<sup>th</sup> Annual Spring Concert "Sing Me To Heaven" Sun. May 21<sup>st</sup> at 4:00p.m. at Paradise Lutheran Church 3241 Church Rd. Thomasville.** A free will offering will be accepted along with non-perishable food items. For more information contact Julie Maher at 717-259-9547.

**Delone Catholic Athletic Assoc. will hold a Variety Bingo featuring Vera Bradley, Thirty-One, and Coach Bags on Fri. June 2<sup>nd</sup> at 7:00p.m. in Delone's cafeteria.** Doors open at 5:30p.m. Tickets are \$13.00 in advance and \$16.00 at the door. Raffles, specials and refreshments. For tickets contact Delone at 637-5969 or Patty Smith at 717-451-7618.

**Delone will hold their annual Carnival June 12<sup>th</sup> – 17<sup>th</sup>. Order discount ride tickets at [www.DeloneCatholic.org](http://www.DeloneCatholic.org) or call the Delone at 637-5969.**

**St. Joseph Church, Grandview Rd. Hanover, has scheduled a training session for anyone who wishes to become an Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion. The session will be held at St. Joseph Tues. June 13<sup>th</sup>, beginning at 6:30p.m.** Please contact our Parish Office at 637-2721, at least 2 weeks before the training so proper paperwork can be submitted to the Diocese.

There will be a benefit dance for our Parishioner Raymie Smith who is still battling the paralyzing effects of Guillain-Barre Syndrome, when he woke up Christmas Eve unable to move. **The dance will be held June 17<sup>th</sup> at the New Oxford Social Club Pavilion.** Tickets are \$12.00 each and can be obtained by calling Margie Lockner at 717-451-0022.

## Sacred Heart School News

**Sacred Heart Flower Sale, featuring high quality flowers and plants from Lehigh Greenhouse, will be held Sat. May 13<sup>th</sup> from 8:00a.m. ~ 4:00p.m. (beside the Convent) in the Barn.** You can also enjoy great Volleyball in the Parish Hall. The Varsity Girls Tournament will be taking place all day.

The Annual Chapel 5K Run will be held Sat. May 20<sup>th</sup>. Registration begins at 8:00a.m. and the 5K will start at 9:00. For more information contact the School at 632-8715

### Fatima Prayer

**O my Jesus, I offer this for love of Thee, for the conversion of sinners, and in reparation for the sins committed against the Immaculate Heart of Mary.**

**Our Lady of Fatima 100 years May 13, 1917 – May 13, 2017**

