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- **Original Conewago Chapel built in 1741**
- **Gem of the Colonial Catholic Churches**
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- **First Parish Church in America dedicated to the Sacred Heart of Jesus**
- **Named a Minor Basilica on June 30, 1962**

Parish Office Hours

Monday – Thursday: 8:30am – 4:00pm
Friday: 8:30 am – 2:00pm

Parish Staff

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Parish Registration

Welcome new parishioners! Please contact the Office Administrator during office hours to register in the parish. When changing your address, phone number or email address, please notify the parish office to update your information.

Parish Picnic

Third Saturday of July at Basilica Picnic Grove, 3175 Centennial Road, Hanover

Bulletin Submissions

Email your proofread announcement as text (not scanned) by Tuesday 9:00am to Office Administrator.

Mass Schedule

Saturday: 5:30pm
Sunday: 7:30am & 10:00am
First Friday of the Month: 7:00pm
Weekdays & Holy Days: Check bulletin

Confession

Saturday: 4:00pm; First Friday of the Month: 6:00pm

Baptism of Children

Call the parish office to prepare.

Anointing of the Sick

Notify the office when a parishioner is hospitalized or homebound and wants to receive the Sacrament.

Marriage

The marriage preparation process takes at least nine months. Couples should meet with the pastor as soon as possible after getting engaged.

Christian Initiation

If you are interested in becoming a Catholic Christian, email us: ConewagoRCIA@gmail.com. Meetings are usually Mondays at 6:30pm.

Burial Plots

To purchase a burial plot, please call the Parish Office to arrange an appointment with Jean.

Catholic Education

Saint Teresa of Calcutta School: grades preK- 8
717-637-3135; 717-632-8715; Stck8school.org

Delone Catholic High School: grades 9-12
717-637-5969; DeloneCatholic.org

Fourth Sunday of Easter

Sunday April 26, 2026

Mass Intentions:

Saturday April 25 + St. Mark +
5:30pm— Jeanette Devine
Sunday April 26
7:30am— People of the Parish
10:00am—Therese Myette

Monday April 27
12:15pm— J. Donald Todt
Tuesday April 28 + St. Louis DeMontfort +
10:00am—Funeral Mass for Mark Sneeringer
Wednesday April 29 + St. Catherine of Sienna +
8:30am— Francis & Marie Riser
Thursday April 30
No public Mass
Friday May 1 + St. Joseph the Worker +
6:00pm — Holy Hour
7:00pm—Robert Best

Saturday May 2
5:30pm—People of the Parish
Sunday May 3
7:30am— Ellen Lee
10:00am—Shirley Carbaugh

Altar Flowers

The flowers on St. Joseph's altar have been designated in loving memory of Shawn Rockey from his family.

Weekly Collection

Sunday Offering	$9525.94
Capital Campaign	$400.00

Diocesan Annual Campaign

Our goal for the 2026 Diocesan Annual Campaign is $74,205. We appreciate all of your generous support. Remember that all donations above and beyond our goal are returned to the parish unassessed. To date we have received $47,688. Make your DAC gift quickly and easily by scanning the QR code with your phone. Simply open the camera app and position the QR code within the yellow frame. Tap the yellow link to get to the donation page. This is a secure site and you can easily make your gift electronically. By giving online, you help save resources by reducing printing and postage costs, and the amount of paper that is generated.

Parish Calendar

Saturday April 25
4:00pm Confessions
Sunday April 26
World Day of Prayer for Vocations
1:00pm First Holy Communion Mass in the Church
Monday April 27
6:30pm Christian Initiation Class in convent
Tuesday April 28
Sacred Heart Day at Hoss's all day
Wednesday April 29
6:30pm CCD Classes in school
Thursday April 30
6:30pm Anchor of Hope Grief Support Group in Convent
Friday May 1
First Friday Devotions
Religious Brothers Day
Saturday May 2
4:00pm Confessions
Sunday May 3
7:00pm May Devotions

Ascension Thursday Masses

7:00pm on Wednesday May 13
8:30am on Thursday May 14
5:30pm on Thursday May 14

May Procession & Crowning

6:30pm on Wednesday May 6 starting at the gym

May Devotions

7:00pm every Sunday of May
All are welcome to come and pray
in honor of our Blessed Mother Mary!

Catholic Witness Magazine

Don't miss out on The Catholic Witness Magazine!
Our new diocesan magazine is already inspiring thousands of Catholic families across Central Pennsylvania with stories of faith, hope, and service. Sign up today to receive it in your home: https://hbgdiocese.formstack.com/forms/catholic_witness_magazine_sign_up

A Special congratulations to all of our students receiving their First Holy Communion, a very precious gift from Jesus!

To Restore True Charity Always from the Heart

Is this not the charism of Sacred Heart Parish?
May everything we do in this parish be inspired by this charism.

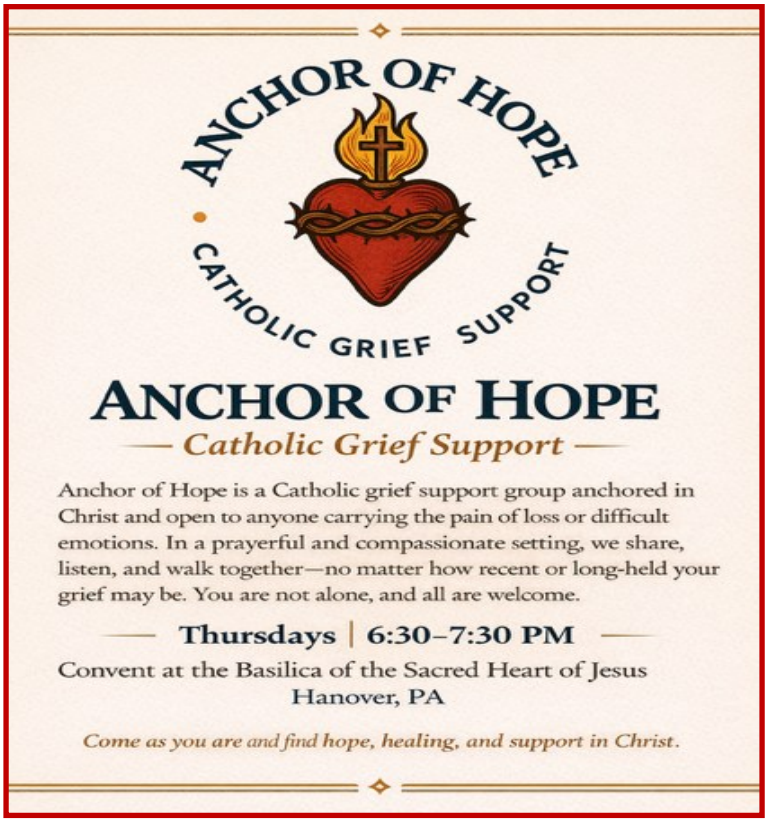
VOCATION MINISTRY

World Day of Prayer for Vocations

"I am the door…go in and out and find pasture." (John 10:9) Jesus invites each of us to enter through Him, the door to life and abundance. On this World Day of Prayer for Vocations, the entire Church is called to pray for more holy vocations. Offer a Rosary, asking the Lord to guide hearts to go where He wants them to go. be who He wants them to be, and do what He calls them to do.

Catholic Radio

Holy Family Radio, AM 720, the only Catholic Radio station within the Diocese of Harrisburg, now has a much stronger broadcast signal thanks to our new tower and increased power. We reach far beyond what we used to. Please tune in today and give a listen. It's a wonderful retreat for your ears! AM720 is also available online at 720whyf.com and via our free mobile app.

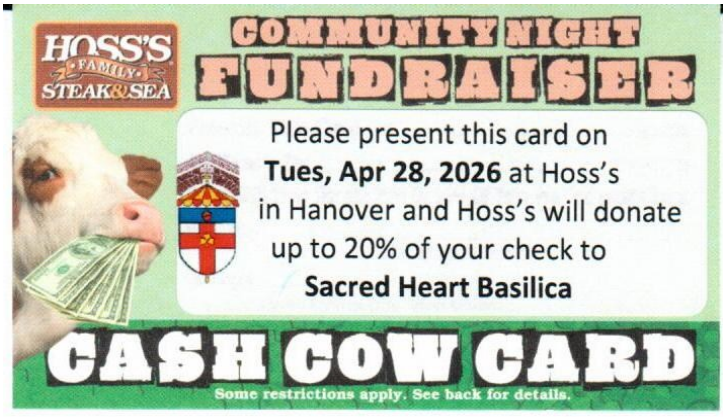


Foster Parents Needed

Consider opening your heart and home to a foster child. If you can provide a loving home, we will provide the support that you need. Please contact Catholic Charities Specialized Foster Care (717) 564-7115 or gpfeifer@cchbg.org for more information and to register for our virtual Information/Orientation session on May 7, 2026 from 5:30-7:00 pm.

Sacred Heart Day at Hoss's

Coupons also available in the back of the church.



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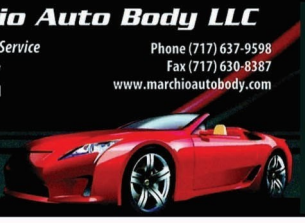

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