Basilica of the Sacred Heart of Jesus

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- **Original Conewago Chapel built in 1741**
- **Gem of the Colonial Catholic Churches**
- **Oldest Catholic Church in America built of stone**
- **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

Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

August 16, 2026

Mass Intentions:

Saturday August 15 + Feast of the Assumption +
8:30am—Edna Dubs
5:30pm—Living & Deceased members of William H. Smith Sr. & John Timmins Families
Sunday August 16
7:30am—People of the Parish
10:00am—Ronald Little

Monday August 17
12:15pm—Ron Smith
Tuesday August 18
No public Mass
Wednesday August 19 + St. John Eudes+
8:30am—George A. Smith
Thursday August 20 + St. Bernard +
12:15pm—John Murphy
Friday August 21 + St. Pius X, Pope+
12:15pm—Jan Groft

Saturday August 22 + Queenship of Mary +
5:30pm—Sister Maria Jude
Sunday August 23
7:30am—Phyllis Scozzie
10:00am—People of the Parish

Altar Flowers

The flowers on the Main Altar are designated to celebrate Jim Jacoby's birthday from his wife, children, grandchildren, and great-grandchildren. The flowers on Saint Joseph and Mary's Altars have been designated for the living & deceased members of the Dolce & Hartle Families by Erin Dolce.

Weekly Collection

Sunday Offering	$8,828.72
Capital Campaign	$200.00

Exciting News for CCD!

CCD classes will begin on Wednesday September 9 at a new time: 6:15pm with a new curriculum! This year we will be using Word of Life by the Augustine Institute, offering online videos and resources to our CCD families, catechists, students and points to programs on the Formed App! We will have sample materials at all CCD sign-ups. Classes for K-9th grade students, with 9th grade becoming a Youth Group! Sign ups will be after the 7:30am & 10:00am Masses on Sundays August 16 and August 30.

Parish Calendar

Saturday August 15
4:00pm Confessions
5:30pm Mass with Bishop Senior followed by the Blessing of the newly renovated parish barn
Sunday August 16
Coffee and Donut Social following the 10:00am Mass
Sign ups for CCD after masses in the Parish Hall
Monday August 17
6:30pm—Christian Initiation class in the barn
Friday August 21
6:30pm Family Praise & Worship Night
Saturday August 22
4:00pm Confessions
Sunday August 30
Sign ups for CCD after all Masses in Parish Hall
3:00pm New Hymns Sing in Church & Dairy Dan after.

Have you thought about becoming Catholic?

Classes are Monday evenings at 6:30pm in the barn. If you would like to join, contact Kelly Jenkins at ConewagoRCIA@gmail.com.

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 $60,979. Make your DAC gift quickly and easily by scanning the QR code with your phone. 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.

Delone Catholic's Annual Bonfire

All members of our community are invited to Delone Catholic's annual bonfire on Thursday August 27 at J.T. Flaherty Field. Come early to enjoy food trucks and games for our Little Squires and Future Squires! The program will include performances by the Marching Squires and the DCHS cheerleaders, the blessing of our fall teams, and, of course, a bonfire. The gate by the concession stand on South Street will open at 5:30 pm. The program will begin at 7:00 pm.

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.

Sacred Heart Basilica Finance Report

For the Fiscal Year July 1, 2025- June 30, 2026
(as of June 30, 2026)

Income	
Parish Collections	$631,658.67
Capital Campaign	$832,538.37
Building Fund	$107,984.37
Other Contributions	$44,359.01
Fundraising	$29,601.10
Interest Income	$22,309.95
Cemetery	$44,660.00
Other Regular Income	$34,924.35

Expenses	
Compensation	$295,984.13
Utilities, Insurance, Communications	$188,853.06
School Assessments & Tuition Assistance	$207,998.92
Costs of Cemetery Sales	$13,300.00
Other Regular Expenses	$314,918.79
Capital Expenditures (barn renovation)	$550,164.14
New Gym Floor	$161,240.00
Exterior Painting Project	$110,140.00

Diocesan Annual Campaign	
Parish Goal for 2026	$74,205.00
Total Paid as of August 10	$60,979.00
Under Goal- still needed to reach goal	-$13,226.00

New Hymn Sing

Join us Sunday August 30th at 3:00pm in the church for a "New Hymn Sing." We will be learning a new Mass setting as well as several new hymns from the *Parish Hymnal*. Afterwards, Dairy Dan will be serving ice cream. Those who participate in the Hymn Sing will receive a voucher for a free ice cream!

Conewago Picnic News

Our picnic was blessed with great fellowship and weather. The parish received a generous gain of $21,683.21! Thank you for your support! A special thank you to all the volunteers who gave their time and talent. You are greatly appreciated!

Pilgrim Tour to French Canada

September 27 - October 3, 2027

There will be an informational meeting with Peter's Way Tours on Thursday September 24, 2026 in the barn. Questions? Contact Deacon Chris Livelsberger: DCLivelsberger@hbgdiocese.org .

Music Ministry News

Choir rehearsals for the Fall/Christmas season will begin as follows:

Requiem Choir— Wednesday September 2 at 9:30am
Junior Choir—Sunday September 6 after 10am Mass
Adult choir— Tuesday September 8 after 6:00pm Mass
STC McSherrystown Campus Choir—
Wednesday September 9 at 2:45pm
STC Conewago Campus Choir—
Wednesday September 15 at 2:45pm

If you or your children are interested in joining any of the choirs or serving as a cantor or instrumentalist, please contact Jody Richter at 717-524-8684 or email her at jrichter@hbgdiocese.org

For more information on the Music Ministry as well as Registration Forms for the Junior Choir & School Choirs, please check out the Parish website: www.sacredheartbasilica.com and click on Liturgy—Music Ministry.

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