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Welcome to St. Anthony!

Our parish is a continuation of the life of Christ, in the lives of our parish members and of our visitors as well. St. Anthony was founded in 1870. Our upper church was completed and dedicated in 1875. Its restoration in 1987 preserved its reverent interior. As you join our community for the Eucharist this Sunday, may the Lord's grace and peace remain with you, this week and always.

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SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Parents must call the rectory to register their child.

Instruction: First Monday of the month
Baptism: Fourth Sunday of the month

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

Contact the pastor at least one year in advance. We follow Common Policy of Diocese of Harrisburg.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK AND VISITATION OF HOMEBOUND

Call the Rectory at 717-394-0669.

PARISH RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Sunday mornings: 9:00-10:20 a.m.

RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS (RCIA)

Are you interested in becoming Catholic or learning more about the Catholic faith? Contact the parish office at 717-394-0669.

BULLETIN DEADLINE

Electronic submission due Thursday (10 days before distribution).

SUNDAY MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday evening: 4:30 p.m.
Sunday morning: 8:30 & 10:30 a.m.

WEEKDAY MASS SCHEDULE

Monday-Saturday: 8:00 a.m.

RECONCILIATION (Confession)

Saturdays: 3:30-4:15 p.m.



EIGHTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

*Whoever comes to me will never hunger,
and whoever believes in me will never thirst.*
— John 6:24-35

TODAY'S HYMNS AND READINGS**Hymns**

Entrance: Christ Be Beside Me, 397

Gloria: Mass for Christian Unity,

Offertory: Lord, You Have Come (Pescador de Hombres), 502

Communion: Bread of Angels, 367

Recessional: Joyful, Joyful We Adore Thee, 545

First Reading

Ex 16:2-4, 12-15

The whole Israelite community grumbled against Moses and Aaron. The Israelites said to them, "Would that we had died at the LORD's hand in the land of Egypt, as we sat by our fleshpots and ate our fill of bread! But you had to lead us into this desert to make the whole community die of famine!" Then the LORD said to Moses, "I will now rain down bread from heaven for you. Each day the people are to go out and gather their daily portion; thus will I test them, to see whether they follow my instructions or not. "I have heard the grumbling of the Israelites. Tell them: In the evening twilight you shall eat flesh, and in the morning you shall have your fill of bread, so that you may know that I, the LORD, am your God." In the evening quail came up and covered the camp. In the morning a dew lay all about the camp, and when the dew evaporated, there on the surface of the desert were fine flakes like hoarfrost on the ground. On seeing it, the Israelites asked one another, "What is this?" for they did not know what it was. But Moses told them, "This is the bread that the LORD has given you to eat."

Responsorial Psalm

Ps 78:3-4, 23-25, 54

R. The Lord gave them bread from heaven.

What we have heard and know, and what our fathers have declared to us, we will declare to the generation to come the glorious deeds of the LORD and his strength and the wonders that he wrought.

R. The Lord gave them bread from heaven.

He commanded the skies above and opened the doors of heaven; he rained manna upon them for food and gave them heavenly bread.

R. The Lord gave them bread from heaven.

Man ate the bread of angels, food he sent them in abundance. And he brought them to his holy land, to the mountains his right hand had won.

R. The Lord gave them bread from heaven.**Second Reading**

Eph 4:17, 20-24

Brothers and sisters: I declare and testify in the Lord that you must no longer live as the Gentiles do, in the futility of their minds; that is not how you learned Christ, assuming that you have heard of him and were taught in him, as truth is in Jesus, that you should put away the old self of your former way of life, corrupted through deceitful desires, and be renewed in the spirit of your minds, and put on the new self, created in God's way in righteousness and holiness of truth.

Gospel

Jn 6:24-35

When the crowd saw that neither Jesus nor his disciples were there, they themselves got into boats and came to Capernaum looking for Jesus.

And when they found him across the sea they said to him, "Rabbi, when did you get here?" Jesus answered them and said, "Amen, amen, I say to you, you are looking for me not because you saw signs but because you ate the loaves and were filled. Do not work for food that perishes but for the food that endures for eternal life, which the Son of Man will give you. For on him the Father, God, has set his seal." So they said to him, "What can we do to accomplish the works of God?" Jesus answered and said to them, "This is the work of God, that you believe in the one he sent." So they said to him, "What sign can you do, that we may see and believe in you? What can you do? Our ancestors ate manna in the desert, as it is written: *He gave them bread from heaven to eat.*" So Jesus said to them, "Amen, amen, I say to you, it was not Moses who gave the bread from heaven; my Father gives you the true bread from heaven. For the bread of God is that which comes down from heaven and gives life to the world."

So they said to him, "Sir, give us this bread always." Jesus said to them, "I am the bread of life; whoever comes to me will never hunger, and whoever believes in me will never thirst."



**MONEY
COUNTERS**

MONEY COUNTERS NEEDED

Parish money counters are needed after the 10:30 a.m. Mass. Three non-related parishioners are required every Sunday. If you are willing to volunteer, please contact Shelby at 717-394-0669 or ickes2@comcast.net.

**THE ANNUAL DIOCESAN PILGRIMAGE
IN HONOR OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY:**

A Day of Prayer for World Peace through Conversion will be celebrated at the National Shrine Grotto of Our Lady of Lourdes, Emmitsburg, Maryland, on Thursday, August 5, 2021, the Memorial of the Dedication of the Basilica of Saint Mary Major. This year, to accommodate our brothers and sisters in the northern tier of our Diocese, the planned start time is 10:00 a.m. To view the full schedule, visit: <https://www.hbgdiocese.org/event/annual-diocesan-pilgrimage-to-the-grotto-of-lourdes/>.

JOB OPENING: St. Anthony of Padua Church

Maintenance Person: Responsible for cleaning, maintaining, and reporting on the condition of the Church, Rectory, School and assisting the pastor in the implementation of a parish maintenance program.

Reports directly to the Pastor. Requires various degrees of physical exertion to include lifting (at least 50 lbs.), operating equipment, climbing stairs, etc. Responsibilities may include electrical work, plumbing, painting, carpentry, HVAC. Organizational skills, flexibility, and dependability are required as well as high school or trade school diploma with two to three years related work experience. Position will require Pennsylvania youth protection clearances. To apply, please call St. Anthony of Padua Church at 717-394-0669.

**CHRISTMAS BAZAAR NEWS**

Only two more weeks to donate to the Bazaar raffle. We continue to accept merchant gift cards before August 15. Collection of jewelry and new or near-new items also continues. Also, workshops are August 11 and 25 in the rectory basement with entry through the rear doors. Planning for the bazaar is going great. Thank you parishioners, for your support.

The "Together Again at Christmas" Bazaar is November 13, 8:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m., and November 14 after Masses.

**TIME TO RSVP**

Saturday, August 7, 2021

25th Anniversary of Ordination

Father Deogratias Rwegasira, AJ

Mass at 10:00 a.m.


Attending in Choir: The Most Rev. Bishop Ronald W. Gainer. Mass will be followed by a reception in the Social Hall. **RSVP by Monday, August 2:** Mary Ellen (mgardner@stjosephslanc.com) or call 717-397-6921, ext. 211. Please indicate Mass only or Mass & Reception.

**ST. ANTHONY OF PADUA CHURCH****FACEBOOK PAGE**Find us on Facebook at facebook.com/SAPCatholic**RELIGIOUS EDUCATION REGISTRATION**

The 2021-2022 academic year registration forms are now due. If you have not submitted your family's registration, please do so this week.

Office is open Monday-Friday, 9:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m. Call 717-392-2930 or email Mrs. Meyer at PMeyer@hbgdiocese.org for further information.

**PLEASE REMEMBER YOUR PARISH IN YOUR WILL.**



CATECHISTS NEEDED
Catechists needed for Grades 1, 3, 6, and 7 for the upcoming 2021-2022 school year. Please contact Mrs. Meyer for more information at PMeyer@hbgdiocese.org or 717-392-2930.



EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF THE HOLY EUCHARIST
The Office for Divine Worship has scheduled new training sessions for Extraordinary Ministers, including in-person trainings. If you would like to volunteer as an extraordinary minister, please contact Fr. Morelli at 717-394-0669 or FrMorelli@hbgdiocese.org.

RESURRECTION CATHOLIC SCHOOL NEWS
Resurrection seeks a full-time grade 6-8 math and science teacher for the 2021-2022 school year. Send résumé and cover letter to the Principal Jeffrey Hughes, jhughes@rcspa.org.



Resurrection seeks a part-time **Marketing/Communications Director** to handle development, fundraising, recruitment, and communications. Send résumé and cover letter to Principal Jeffrey Hughes at jhughes@rcspa.org.


Enrollment Information! Spaces are filling up for the 2021-2022 school year. Resurrection Catholic School has openings in all of our classrooms, Pre-K (4) to grade 8. Contact the office at 717-392-3083 for more information or visit our website at www.rcspa.org for an enrollment packet.

Save the Date! Resurrection's Annual Golf Outing will be held on September 14 at Meadia Heights Golf Club. Proceeds go to the technology and transportation fund. Look for your registration form in the mail.

Review our school! Please consider visiting the [Great Schools](http://GreatSchools.org) website and leaving a review for RCS. This will help to get the word out about our great school!

We invite your family to become part of the Resurrection family!
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DONATION COLLECTION – THIS WEEKEND




Blessed Bloomers is the collection of new underwear, T-shirts and socks for men, women and children to be distributed to the homeless and poor during the months of September and October.

A collection box is available in the church vestibule for dropping off items this weekend, July 31-August 1.

Greatest need this year is for men's boxers in sizes medium, large and x-large and women's camisoles and "pretty" tanks/T-shirts.

Blessed Bloomers will be distributed in Lancaster (St. Anne's Brown Bag Lunch Line and Catholic Worker House) and Philadelphia, PA (St. Francis Inn soup kitchen) and in New York, NY (St. Francis of Assisi Breadline). Children's underwear in all sizes, also needed, will be distributed to children living at, near or below poverty level in Lancaster and Philadelphia, PA as well as at St. Bonaventure Indian Mission in Thoreau, NM and at the Sharing & Caring shelter in Minneapolis, MN.

For further information or to donate online, please visit www.mychalsmessage.org or visit MYCHAL'S MESSAGE on FB or IG. For more information, contact Sharon Hickey: 717-203-0746. Thank you.



Please pray for those who are sick and in need of healing from our Divine Healer: James Garrity, David Mendez, Ted Spadea, Richard Thomas, Thomas Polish, Makenzie Caterbone, Mason Sottek, Ronald and Albena Martinazzi...and all who need our prayers.

SCRIPTURE READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF AUGUST 1, 2021

Mon., Aug. 2: Nm 11:4b-15; Mt 14:13-21
Tues., Aug. 3: Nm 12:1-13; Mt 14:22-36
Wed., Aug. 4: Nm 13:1-2, 25-14:1, 26-29a, 34-35; Mt 15:21-28
Thurs., Aug. 5: Nm 20:1-13; Mt 16:13-23
Fri., Aug. 6: Dn 7:9-10, 13-14; Mk 9:2-10
Sat., Aug. 7: Dt 6:4-13; Mt 17:14-20
Sun., Aug. 8: 1 Kgs 19:4-8; Ps 34:2-9; Eph 4:30-5:2; Jn 6:41-51



On Sunday, August 15, the obligation to attend Mass on Sunday and Holy Days is being restored in the Diocese of Harrisburg.


Learn More:
www.hbgdiocese.org/returntomass



Mass Intentions

Sat., July 31	4:30 p.m.	People of the Parish
Sun., August 1	8:30 a.m.	Constance Pierson Dupre +
	10:30 a.m.	Anna May Ivaruzek +
Mon., August 2		NO MASS
Tues., August 3	8:00 a.m.	Edward A. Bresch, Sr. +
Wed., August 4	8:00 a.m.	Don & Cindy Dorwart –
		53rd Wedding Anniversary
Thurs., August 5	8:00 a.m.	Magdalen M. Eppley +
Fri., August 6	8:00 a.m.	John Trees +
Sat., August 7	8:00 a.m.	Sr. Mercedes +
	4:30 p.m.	People of the Parish
Sun., August 8	8:30 a.m.	Anthony, Albert Birunas +
		Alice & Ross Wilhelder +
	10:30 a.m.	Betty Williams +

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Rosary is prayed every day at 3:00 p.m. in the Knights building. All are welcome.
BINGO is back on Thursdays! Doors open at 5:00 p.m. Bingo starts at 6:30 p.m., with multiple jackpots.

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