Mass Intentions

Sat. 5:30p.m. Carroll & Rita Little & Barb Noel
Sun. 7:30a.m. Dennis Neiderer
10:00a.m. The People of the Parish
Mon. 8:00a.m. Joan Riser
Tues. 8:00a.m. Special Intention
Wed. 8:00a.m. Mark & Dwayne Lawrence
Thurs. 8:00a.m. Dolores Adams
First Friday 8:30a.m. Donald Toth
Sat. 5:30p.m. Charlie Klunk & deceased children Mike and Judy
Sun. 7:30a.m. Thelma Zeigler
10:00a.m. The People of the Parish

Offerity Procession

Sat. Jan. 7th 5:30p.m. Mr. & Mrs. John Rife Family
Sun. Jan. 8th 7:30a.m. Mr. & Mrs. Frank Felix
10:00a.m. Mr. & Mrs. Roger Fahnestock family

Please remember our Parishioners Robert Gebhart and Anna Louise Szentz who went home to be with the Lord this week. Remember their families too as they deal with their loss

From the Pastor:

An excerpt from: Mariaílis Cultus, the Apostolic Exhortation of Blessed Paul VI regarding devotion to the Blessed Virgin Mary (February 2, 1974)

The Christmas season is a prolonged commemoration of the divine, virginal and salvific motherhood of her whose “inviolate virginity brought the Saviour into the world.” In fact, on the Solemnity of the Birth of Christ the Church both adores the Savior and venerates His glorious Mother. On the Epiphany, when she celebrates the universal call to salvation, the Church contemplates the Blessed Virgin Mary (February 2, 1974)

The first day of the year, we have instituted the World Day of Peace, an occasion that is gaining increasing support and already bringing forth fruits of peace in the hearts of many.

There is a container in the back of Church for your pennies! For the month of January we will be participating in the “Pennies for Life” program. You are asked to donate one penny for each year of your life, or more. Folded money is accepted as well. All proceeds benefit our local Tender Care Pregnancy Consultation Services. This pro-life ministry encourages and assists women to carry their pregnancy to term. Please be generous.

We have 2017 Calendars left in the vestibule of the Church.

The Delone Catholic Class of 2020 will host a dance in the lobby of the Lawrence B. (Sonny) Sheppard Gym for area 8th grade students. Sat. Jan. 21st. The dance will be from 7 – 9:00p.m. and the cost is $5.00 Snow date will be Apr. 8th.

The Notre Dame Club of Gettysburg and Delone Catholic Athletic Assoc. will hold a Cash Bingo in Delone’s cafeteria Sat. Feb. 25th. Doors open at 4:00p.m. Tickets cost $15.00 which includes a roast turkey platter and 20 games of regular Bingo paying $50.00 per game. For more information and tickets contact Patty Smith at 717-451-7618.

Father Howard, the Parish and School staffs and our Sisters of St. Joseph, wish everyone a happy, healthy and blessed New Year!

Dear Lord,

We pray that this New Year will bring us closer to You. May we take the time to get to know You. Help us to truly celebrate the gifts You have graciously given us and use them to serve You and spread Your word.

May we also see and love you in all the people we meet, so that in turn, they can see You in us. We know that all human relations take time if they are to grow and deepen. This is also true of our relations with You, our Father and the Holy Spirit, which must grow over the course of our lives.

In this New Year, let us realize that every action of ours no matter how great or small enables us to be in touch with You. Let us accept You in our lives, in the way it pleases You, as Truth, to be spoken, as Life, to be lived, as Light, to be lighted, as Love, to be followed, as Joy, to be given, as Peace, to be spread about, as Sacrifice, to be offered among our relatives, friends, neighbors and all people.

Amen.