The flowers on the main Altar have been designated by Jeanette Devine in memory of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas F. Devine’s Anniversary. The flowers on St. Joseph’s Altar have been designated in loving memory of Shawn Rockey from his family.

Mass Intentions

Sat. 5:30p.m.  Shawn Rockey
Sun. 7:30a.m.  Living & deceased members of Regis and Estella Gebhart family
10:00a.m.  The People of the Parish
Mon. 8:00a.m.  Robert H. Adams
Tues. 8:00a.m.  Bernard Smithmyer, Jr.
Wed. 8:00a.m.  Mr. and Mrs. Thomas F. Devine
Thurs. 8:00a.m.  Margaret Shradar
Fri. 8:00a.m.  Deceased members of Wm. F. Nicholson family
Sat. 5:30p.m.  Mr. and Mrs. Earl T. Brady
Sun. 7:30a.m.  Marcia Lindsey
10:00a.m.  The People of the Parish

Offertory Procession

Sat. Apr. 29th  5:30p.m.  Mr. and Mrs. James Donelson
Sun. Apr. 30th  7:30a.m.  Mr. and Mrs. Mike Sneeringer family
10:00a.m.  Mr. and Mrs. Kevin Stafford family

Delone Catholic will host their Spring Open House Sun. Apr. 23rd from 12 Noon – 3:00p.m. Tours from current students will be available. All are welcome.

Annunciation BVM Church McSherrystown, will hold the 2nd Annual Divine Mercy Holy Hour Sun. Apr. 23rd beginning at 2:00p.m. Exposition and adoration of the Blessed Sacrament, recitation of the Chaplet of Divine Mercy, veneration of the image of Divine Mercy, ending with Benediction during the Hour of Mercy.
Confessions will be offered from 1:00 – 2:00p.m. For more information please call 632-8049.

This weekend we welcome our newest member into our Parish family through the Sacrament of BAPTISM
Robert James Sasser, son of Benjamin and Elizabeth (Zimbicki) Sasser. Congratulations to the new family!

From the Pastor: Christ the source of resurrection and life: from an Easter homily by an ancient author excerpted from The Liturgy of the Hours.
Saint Paul rejoices in the knowledge that spiritual health has been restored to the human race. Just as death entered the world through Adam, so life has been given back to the world through Christ. And again: The first man, being from the earth, is earthly by nature; the second man is from heaven and is heavenly. He adds the following: As we have borne the image of the earthly man, (that is, the image of human nature grown old in sin) so let us bear the image of the heavenly man: that is, human nature raised up, redeemed, restored and purified in Christ. We must hold fast to the salvation we have received. As the Apostle himself says: Christ is the beginning (that is, the source of resurrection and life); therefore those who belong to Christ (those who model their lives on his purity) will be secure in the hope of his resurrection and of enjoying with him the glory promised in heaven. As our Lord himself said in the gospel: Whoever follows me will not perish, but will pass from death to life.

It’s spring cleaning time! Take your donated items to Norm’s Auction to help offset the cost of the Picnic. Just tell them you would like the proceeds to go to Sacred Heart’s (Conewago) Picnic. Norm’s takes clean furniture that is not soiled or torn, unbroken household saleable items, books and collectibles. Look at your donations and think “is something I would buy?” Norm’s Auction is located at 4430 Hanover Rd. Hanover and their phone is 632-2035.

The next Parish Council meeting will be Tues. Apr. 25th at 7:00p.m. in the School.

St. Aloysius Parish, Littlestown, will be offering Fr. Michael Gaitley’s 33 Days of Morning Glory, a Retreat in preparation for Marian Consecration. The class will meet 6 times to learn about the importance of Mary in our life as our mother. The class will be held on Thursday’s from 7:00 – 8:30p.m. April 27 – May 31st. The fee for the class and books is $20. If you have any questions please call Sandy Sneeinger at 717-359-5555.

The Interact Club of Delone Catholic High School will hold its annual “Sleepout for the Homeless” overnight Apr. 28-29th. Students will be collecting donations from motorists and pedestrians in front of Delone Catholic on South Oxford Avenue in McSherrystown from 7-11p.m. on Fri. Apr. 28th. All proceeds will benefit the Hanover Area Council of Churches homeless shelter.

The Delone Catholic Athletic Assoc. will hold a Mattress Sale in the School Lobby Sat. Apr. 29th from 10:00a.m. – 5:00p.m. Name brand mattresses will be on sale for up to 50% off retail with the Athletic Assoc. receiving a percentage of each mattress sold. For more information contact Mark Reneker at mreneker20@gmail.com or by calling 717-226-1962.

On Sun. Apr. 30th during the 10:00a.m. Mass our second grade class will receive their First Holy Communion. Seating may be limited. Please consider arriving early or attending another Mass.

The Delone Catholic Music Assoc. will hold their Spring Concert Sun. Apr. 30th at 6:30p.m. in the Old Gym.

PLEASE NOTE: ALL decorations MUST be removed from the Cemetery by Mon. May 1st.

The final “Christian Music Night” of the year at Magic Elm Skateland will be held Mon. May 1st from 6:30 – 8:30p.m. Please bring sugar, ketchup, coffee or coffee creamer for free admission. The donations of the food will benefit the local PAL (Provide A Lunch) Program. For more information call 632-1888.

We will begin our weekly Sun. May Devotions with the May Procession on Sun. May 7th 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 box 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.

The Children’s Rosary Group will meet Sun. May 7th 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.

Tender Care Pregnancy Consultation Services is sponsoring “The Walk for Life” on Sat. May 13th at the Brethren Home at Cross Keys, rain or shine. Registration begins at 9:00a.m. and “The Walk” will begin at 10:00a.m. Games, face painting and caricatures also start at 9:00a.m. For more information call 633-9685.

Sacred Heart School News

Sacred Heart Day at Hoss’s Restaurant will be held Tues. Apr. 25th. Cards are at the doors of the Church.

Sacred Heart Flower Sale, featuring high quality flowers and plants from Lehigh Greenhouse, will be held Sat. May 13th 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 School will also host the Annual Chapel 5K Run on Sat. May 20th. Registration begins at 8:00a.m. and the 5K will start at 9:00a.m. For more information on fees and t-shirts contact the School at 632-8715.