Mon. July 24

**Mass Intentions**

**Sat.** 5:30p.m.  Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Timmins

Sun. 7:30a.m.  Mary and Shellee Pevarnik family

10:00a.m.  The People of the Parish

**Mon.** 8:00a.m.  Nancy Zortman

**Tues.** 8:00a.m.  Harry O’Sullivan

Wed. 8:00a.m.  Mary and Simon Stuber

**Thurs.** 8:00a.m.  John C. Rakoczey

**Fri.** 8:00a.m.  Richard T. Neiderer

**Sat.** 5:30p.m.  Kathy Strausbaugh

Sun. 7:30a.m.  The People of the Parish

10:00a.m.  John and Loretta Livelsberger

**Offerings Proceeded**

**Sat.** July 29th  5:30p.m.  Mr. and Mrs. Bill Eckenrode

Sun. July 30th  7:30a.m.  Mr. and Mrs. Francis Weaver

10:00a.m.  Mr. and Mrs. Kevin Stafford family

Please remember in your prayers our Parishioner Robert V. Myers who went home to be with the Lord last week. Pray for his family too as they deal with their loss.

**From the Pastor:** Saturday, July 22 is the Feast of St. Mary Magdalene. She is remembered for her role on Easter Sunday but we must not forget how hard she worked to become a saint, transforming her life by weeping for her sins. St Gregory the Great said the following: Mary Magdalene, a woman in the city, who was a sinner, through love of the truth, washed away in her tears the defilement of her sins, and the words of the Truth are fulfilled which He spoke: Her sins, which are many, are forgiven; for she loved much. She who had remained chily in sin, became fiery through love. When even His disciples went away again unto their own home, Mary still stood without at the sepulcher of Christ, weeping. She sought Him whom her soul loved, but she found Him not. She searched for Him with tears; she yearned with strong desire for Him who, she believed, had been taken away. And thus it befell her, that being the only one who had remained to seek Him, she was the only one that saw him. It is the truth that the backbone of a good work is perseverance.

**PLEASE NOTE:** The Parish Office will be closed next week Mon. July 24th and will re-open Mon. July 31st at 9:00a.m.

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*A BIG thank you to all who volunteered, patronized our Picnic and especially those who prayed for a great weather day! It was truly a perfect day weather wise and attendance wise! Here are the winners of the raffle:* 

1st prize $300 Wes & Louise Haines
2nd prize $200 Sandy Timmins
3rd prize $175 Jackie Smith
4th prize $100 Lemuell Hansford
5th prize $100 Len Buckly
6th prize $75 Wayne Staub
7th prize $75 Joe Murphy
8th prize $75 Beth Zimmer
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9th prize $75 Dixie Groft
10th prize $75 Mackenzie Smith

Winner of Steamer with Weis Gift Cards Jen Botelho, the winner of the Quilt was Nancy Bevenour, the winner of the picture of the Basilica in the snow was Sharon Eckenrode. Congratulations to all of the winners!

We have three 13-hr holders not claimed. Serial #348020 holder #1113, Serial #348461 holder #1513, and Serial #555199 holder #1613. If you have any of these winning numbers please call the Parish Office at 717-637-2721.

The Immaculate Conception Thrift Shop 5 Carlisle St., New Oxford is holding a clothing sale, buy two items and get the third one free. Third item must be equal to or less in value. Shop hours are Monday to Saturday from 9 a.m. to 3pm. For more information call 624-1272.

Sister Anne Leonard, SSJ will be teaching a 3 year old Pre-K Program at St. Joseph Academy for the 2017-2018 year only. The class will be on Tuesday’s and Thursday’s from 8:30 – 11:30a.m. with an early drop off time at 8:00a.m. If you are interested in enrolling your child who will be 3 years old by Sept. 1st kindly call Sister Kathleen White, SSJ at 717-451-7736.

There will be a funeral Mass Sat. July 29th at 10:00a.m. at St. Vincent de Paul Church for John Hemler.

St. Joseph School Moving Sale and Thrift Shop Closing Sale.
St. Joseph school has relocated and they are having a sale of items/equipment remaining at the 236 Baltimore Street location. These are typical yard sale items. The thrift shop at 244 Baltimore Street is also having a final day closing sale. Both sales are on Sat. July 29th from 7:00a.m. until noon. Cash only.

Join Rev. John M. Kuchinski, Parochial Vicar at St. Francis Xavier Parish Gettysburg, who will be the Pilgrimage leader for the 30th Annual Pilgrimage for World Peace Through Conversion of Heart, at the National Shrine Grotto of Lourdes, Mt. St. Mary’s University, Emmitsburg, MD Thurs. Aug. 3rd. The day runs from 10:00a.m. – 4:00p.m. You do not need to register. There is no transportation provided so you must bring your own lunch. For more information email: dtliam@hbhdiocese.org the schedule can be found in the events calendar section of www.hbhdiocese.org

Rev. John Szada, Jr. will say a Mass with prayers for healing on Tues. Aug. 8th at 7:00p.m. at St. Vincent de Paul Church.

Immaculate Heart of Mary Abbottstown, is having a Parish Yard Sale Sat. Aug. 12th from 8:00a.m. – 1:00p.m. in the Social Hall. The Knights of Columbus will be selling food.

An exciting new 7 session series, “Discovering Christ” will be presented on Tues. evenings beginning Aug. 22nd – Oct. 3rd from 6:30 – 8:30p.m. at Immaculate Heart of Mary Church, Abbottstown. This is a dynamic teaching to explore answers to some of the most important questions worth asking about God, while finding ultimate meaning and purpose in life. Childcare is provided as needed for children 3 years of age or older. For more information call Sister Rosanne at 717-259-0611.

Worldwide Marriage Encounter is a weekend dedicated to your marriage, helping husbands and wives to communicate more fully, renew your romance, and bring yourselves closer to God and to each other. Rediscover the best friend that you had on your wedding day! It will be held Fri. Sept. 29th – Sun. morning, Oct. 1st at the Hampton Inn, Mechanicsburg, PA 17055. Early registration is advisable as space is limited. Please go to the website: www.yournearthingsworthit.org for more information or to register, or call 412-635-7775.

Tues. July 25th is Sacred Heart Day at Hao’s Restaurant. The proceeds from the day will now help to support our Church. Cards are at the doors of the Church, and the coupon below can be cut and presented to your waitress/waiter with your meal.