# 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**

Rev. Dwight Schlaline, Pastor FrDSchlaline@hbgdiocese.org

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Jessica & Travis Fitzgerald, Religious Education ConewagoCCD@gmail.com

#### **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 Jean at the parish office on Wednesday mornings after 9:00am.

#### **Catholic Education**

Saint Teresa of Calcutta School: grades preK- 8 717-637-3135; 717-637-8715; Stck8school.org

Delone Catholic High School: grades 9-12 717-637-5969; DeloneCatholic.org

# The Exaltation of the Holy Cross

Sunday September 14, 2025



### **Mass Intentions:**

Saturday September 13 +St. John Chrysostom+

5:30pm — Mr. & Mrs. Richard J. Smith

Sunday September 14 +Exaltation of the Holy Cross+

7:30am — Abbott Gabriel Batiz

10:00am — People of the Parish

Monday September 15 +Our Lady of Sorrows+

12:15pm - Janet L. Smith

Tuesday September 16 +St. Cornelius+

No public Mass

Wednesday September 17 +St. Hildegard of Bingen+

8:30am — Gloria Groft

**Thursday September 18** 

No Public Mass

Friday September 19 +St. Januarius+

12:15pm— Joseph Strausbaugh

Saturday September 20 +St. Andrew Kim et al.+

5:30pm — Catherine "Jim" Devine

**Sunday September 21** 

7:30am — People of the Parish

10:00am — Leon & Anna Klunk

### **Flowers**

Flowers on the Main Altar have been designated in Celebration of the 5<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of Deacon Chris' Ordination. Flowers on the Main Altar have also been designated by Jeanette Devine in memory of Catherine "Jim" Devine. The flowers on both Mary and St. Joseph Altars have been designated for Annette Crawford and Families.

### Women's Bible Study

Plans are being made for a daytime Bible Study for women. The study will be on Wednesdays starting at 9:15am in the convent. The first study will last eight weeks starting on Wednesday October 1 and finishing on Wednesday November 19. There will be a promo/informational night on Wednesday September 17 at 6:30 in the Parish Hall/Gym. All women are invited.

### Trip to France Presentation

A representative from Collette Tours will be here on Thursday September 25 at 6:30pm in the Parish Hall to provide exciting details on our parish trip to France. The trip is October 27—November 5, 2026 and includes time in Lourdes, Avignon, Nevers, Paris and other places along the way. Please join us if you are interested!

### Parish Calendar

#### Saturday September 13

7:00pm Movie night at the Picnic Woods!

**Sunday September 14** 

3:00pm Stations of the Cross in the Church

**Monday September 15** 

6:30pm Christian Initiation Class in Convent

**Tuesday September 16** 

7:00pm Adult Fall/Winter choir practice in the Church

**Wednesday September 17** 

6:30pm 1<sup>st</sup> Night of CCD & Bible Study Promo in the gym

**Thursday September 18** 

6:30pm- Prayer Service with Traveling Icon

**Friday September 19** 

6:30pm Family Praise & Worship in the gym

**Saturday September 20** 

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#### **Sunday September 21— Forty Hours Begins**

11:00am Adoration in Church

7:00pm Vespers for 40 Hours

### Weekly Collection

Sunday Offering	\$12,970.05
Building Fund	\$121.82
Disaster Relief (Gaza)	\$60.00

# Conewago Chapel Cemetery Tour

Join Historian Timothy H. Smith, from the Adams County Historical Society, for a Conewago Chapel Cemetery Tour here at the Basilica on Sunday November 2 at 2:00pm. Learn about the history of the Conewago Chapel Cemetery and other cemeteries in Adams County. Tim will also point out several specific graves and share bios & stories about the people buried in this historic cemetery.

# Thinking about Catholicism?

Contact Kelly and Don Jenkins at ConewagoRCIA@gmail.com

# Family Praise and Worship!

All families are welcome to join us for praise, worship and fellowship in the gym at 6:30pm on Friday September 19.



# Forty Hours Eucharistic Devotions

Please sign up to spend some time before the Blessed Sacrament during the adoration times. Sign-up sheets are in the back of Church. We need at least two adorers at all times while the Blessed Sacrament is exposed on the altar.

#### **Sunday September 21**:

- •10:00am Mass concludes with Exposition
- •11:00am-7:00pm Adoration all day in Church
- •7:00pm– Vespers Service

#### **Monday September 22**:

- •8:00am Mass
- •8:30am-7:00pm Adoration all day in Church
- 7:00pm- Service with Rite of Welcoming Tuesday September 23:
- •8:00am Mass
- •8:30am-7:00pm Adoration all day in Church
- •7:00pm- Service with Eucharistic Procession

# Our Preacher: Archbishop Timothy Broglio



Archbishop Broglio grew up in an active Catholic family, just a little over a block from his parish church in Cleveland Heights, Ohio. From 1983 to 2007, he served in international positions in the Ivory Coast, Paraguay, and Central America. In 2007, Pope Saint

John Paul II appointed him Archbishop of the Military Services, U.S.A. Archbishop Broglio's other duties include serving as Chancellor of Catholic International University, member of the Board of Directors for the National Catholic Bioethics Center, and current president of the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops (USCCB). Next week, we welcome him to our parish to preach the 7:00pm services for 40 Hours.

### **Vocations**

"For God so loved the world that He gave His only Son, so that everyone who believes in Him might not perish but might have eternal life." (John 3:16) Just as Christ selflessly gave Himself for the sake of humanity, you may be invited to reflect that profound love by dedicating your life to the service of others. Are you open to discerning whether God is calling you to share in this mission through a vocation to the priesthood or consecrated life? Allow yourself to ponder the depth of this calling. Talk to your priest or reach out to Father Joshua Weaver, Vocation Director for the Diocese of Harrisburg, at (717) 657-4804 or email him at frijweaver@hbgdiocese.org.

# Sacred Heart Prayer Service

Thursday September 18, 2025 at 6:30pm
There is a travelling icon of the Most Sacred Heart of Jesus that will be in the church this Thursday. This prayer service is sponsored by the Knights of Columbus. Come and connect with the Sacred Heart of our Savior Jesus Christ.

# Special Stations of the Cross

Sunday September 14, 2025 at 3:00pm

#### The Feast of the Triumph of the Cross

We will have a special Stations of the Cross at 3:00pm today to remember the great sacrifice made for us by our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ, the King and Center of all hearts.

### PA March for Life

Monday September 22, 2024 Bus leaves 7:30am. Returns by 2:30pm

There are still spots available on our bus for the Pennsylvania March for Life in Harrisburg. Join our Bishop and other pro-life leaders as we pray and rally for the dignity of all human life- especially the most vulnerable (ie. the unborn). For more information or to sign up email: McSherrystownMarchforLife@gmail.com.

### **Junior Choir**

Children in grades 2 through 8 are welcome to join the Sacred Heart Basilica Junior Choir. Rehearsals will begin on Sunday October 12, after the 10:00am Mass. Registration Forms are available on the Music Ministry page of the parish website or you may stop by the choir loft to pick one up.



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