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

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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

Twenty-Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sunday October 5, 2025



Mass Intentions:

Saturday October 4 +St. Francis of Assisi+

5:30pm — Thomas McKim

Sunday October 5

7:30am — People of the Parish

10:00am—Peter Shovlin

Monday October 6 +St. Bruno and + Bl. Marie Rose

Durocher+

12:15pm — Julius Mash

Tuesday October 7 +Our Lady of the Rosary+

No Public Mass

Wednesday October 8

8:30am — Mary H. Groft

Thursday October 9 +St. Denis, Bishop, & Companions, Martyrs, St. John Leonardi+

No Public Mass

Friday October 10

12:15pm — John Sneeringer

Saturday October 11 +St. John XXIII, Pope, BVM+

11:00am— Healing Mass with Anointing of the Sick

5:30pm — Ben Neiderer

Sunday October 12

7:30am — Ruby Mabanta

10:00am — People of the Parish

Flowers

The flowers on the Main Altar have been designated by Phyllis Neiderer in memory of Peter Shovlin. The flowers on Mary's Altar have been designated by Mr. and Mrs. George Zimmerman in loving memory of Kimberly Ann Zimmerman.

Holy Hour for Life

Thursday October 16, 2024 7:00pm

In the Basilica

October is Respect Life Month. Remembering the importance of all human life- especially innocent human life- we come together to pray that Our Lord would have mercy on us for all of the ways we have violated his precious gift of life. October 16 is also the feast of Saint Margaret Mary Alacoque who is depicted in the Sacred Heart painting in the front of the Church. She encountered him miraculously while praying before the Blessed Sacrament. In light of Saint Margaret Mary's example come pray to Jesus with us for He is truly present in the Blessed Sacrament. Our seminarian Vinh Nguyen will lead the holy hour.

Parish Calendar

Saturday October 4

4:00pm Confessions

Sunday October 5

Monday October 6

6:30pm RCIA classes in convent

Tuesday October 7



Wednesday October 8

9:15am Women's Bible Study in convent

6:30pm Religious Education Classes

Thursday October 9

9:00am Church Cleaning: bring a bucket & rag. Join us!

Friday October 10

Saturday October 11

11:00am Healing Mass with Anointing of the Sick

4:00pm Confessions

Sunday October 12

Weekly Collection

Sunday Offering\$8269.48 Building Fund\$200.00

Conewago Chapel Cemetery Tour

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

Thinking about Catholicism?

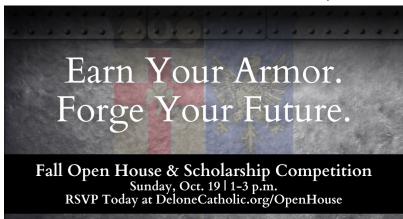
Contact Kelly and Don Jenkins at ConewagoRCIA@gmail.com

Walking With Purpose Bible Study

It's not too late to join our women's Bible Study held on Wednesdays at 9:15am in the convent. Contact Sarah at sarah.stokesbury@gdit.com for more information. All women are welcome!

For the Faithful Departed

We pray for Robert J. Best who passed away on September 25. May he rest in peace.



Delone Catholic High School invites your family to learn how our school can challenge your student to develop spiritually, morally, academically, and personally while preparing to live a life of purpose and faith. Check out the details and RSVP today at DeloneCatholic.org/OpenHouse.



"If you have faith the size of a mustard seed, you would say to this mulberry tree, 'Be uprooted and planted in the sea,' and it would obey you." (Luke 17:6) God can do great things with even the smallest acts of faith. If you feel a calling to priesthood or consecrated life, have faith that God will provide the strength to follow His will. Talk to your priest or reach out to Father Joshua Weaver, Vocation Director, at (717) 657-4804 or email him at friedowner.gr would say the seed. The seed of the s

Adams Deanery Adoration Chapel

Adoration Chapel at 26 North Third Street, McSherrystown across from Annunciation Church is in need of adorers for the following days/hours:

Monday—7:00am & 6:00pm

Tuesday—4:00am

Thursday— 6:00am & 6:00pm

Friday-5:00am

Saturday—3:00pm, 6:00pm & 7:00pm

If you desire to give one hour a week in prayer to our Lord in the Eucharist, please contact Maxine Staub at 717-637-5683. Please note: Do not drop off anything into the Adoration Chapel, such as books, handouts, petitions etc., without bringing it to Annunciation BVM Parish office first so they may determine if it is appropriate material for the Chapel. Thank you, ABVM Parish Office.

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.

Children's Rosary

There will be a Holy Hour and Rosary for Children at Saint Vincent DePaul Church, 220 Third Street, Hanover at 2:00pm this afternoon. Bring your Special Intentions and your Family and come pray with us.

Visitors of the Homebound

Will meet on Wednesday October 15 at 2:00pm at the home of Christine Reynold at 2691 Centennial Road. There will be a short meeting and then we will be packing cookies for Healing Mass.

Healing Mass

There will be a Healing Mass with the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick here at Sacred Heart Basilica on Saturday October 18 at 11:00am. All are welcome to come and receive healing.

Presentation on Vietnamese Catholicism

On Wednesday October 22 at 6:30pm in the parish hall gym, our seminarian Vinh Nguyen will conduct a presentation on how the Catholic faith is lived in his home country, Vietnam.



All Saints Day 2025

- 7:00pm Mass on Friday October 31
- 8:30am Mass on Saturday November 1

Immaculate Conception 2025



Monday December 8 2025

- 8:30am Morning Mass
- 5:00pm Rosary
- 5:30pm Evening Mass



Family Praise and Worship!

All families are welcome to join us for praise, worship and fellowship in the gym at 6:30pm on Friday October 17. Let us praise the Lord our God.



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