

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

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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 the Parish Office to arrange an appointment with Jean.

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

Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sunday January 18, 2026

Mass Intentions:

Saturday January 17+ St. Anthony, Abbott+

5:30pm — Janet L. Smith

Sunday January 18

7:30am — People of the Parish

10:00am—Luann Gebhart

Monday January 19

12:15pm— Harry Stenger

Tuesday January 20 +St. Sebastian, St. Fabian+

No Public Mass

Wednesday January 21 + St. Agnes+

8:30am—Earl Monroe

Thursday January 22

No public Mass

Friday January 23 +St. Vincent, St. Marianne Cope+

7:45am— *In honor of William Lippe*

Saturday January 24+ St. Francis DeSales+

5:30pm — People of the parish

Sunday January 25 +Sunday of the Word of God +

7:30am — William Donelson

10:00am — William Sneeringer

Flowers

The flowers on the main altar have been designated by the Neiderer Family in memory of George Neiderer.

Weekly Collection

Sunday Offering	\$7484.07
Capital Campaign - Barn	\$450.00
Central & Eastern Europe	\$615.00

For the Faithful Departed

We mourn the loss of our former parishioner **George Dolheimer** who was buried here this week. Please keep his family in your prayers. Eternal Rest Grant unto him Lord and let perpetual light shine upon him.

Thinking about Catholicism?

Contact Kelly and Don Jenkins at
ConewagoRCIA@gmail.com

2025 Tax Statements

If you need a 2025 donation for tax purposes, please contact the Parish Office. 717-637-2721



Parish Calendar

Saturday January 17

4:00pm Confessions

Sunday January 18

Monday January 19

6:30pm Christian Initiation Class in convent

Tuesday January 20

Wednesday January 21

6:30pm CCD classes

6:30pm Women's Bible study in Parish hall

Thursday January 22

Day of Prayer for the legal Protection of the Unborn

Friday January 23

March for Life trip to Washington DC: **note that daily Mass will be at 7:45am instead of 12:15pm.**

Saturday January 24

4:00pm—Confessions

Sunday January 25

Catholic Schools Week Begins

Poinsettias

If you designated a poinsettia in honor or memory of a loved one, please feel free to take one home with you after Mass. Please leave the white plates here.



*Were you married in
1976?*

Join us for a celebration of your

*Jubilee
Wedding Anniversary*

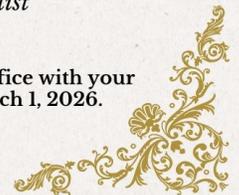
June 21, 2026

Holy Name of Jesus Church

Most Reverend Timothy C. Senior
Celebrant and Homilist



Please contact your parish office with your name and address by March 1, 2026.



To Restore True Charity Always from the Heart

Is this not the charism of Sacred Heart Parish?
May everything we do in this parish be inspired by this charism.



"Behold, the Lamb of God, who takes away the sin of the world." (John 1:29) John's recognition of Jesus calls us to keep our focus on Christ and His mission. Christ's mercy is made present through priests in the sacraments. Is God calling you to this ministry? Talk to your priest or reach out to the Vocation Office at (717) 657-4804 ext. 282 or via email: vocations@hbgdiocese.org

Adams Deanery Perpetual Adoration Chapel

9 North Third Street, McSherrystown, PA

The Adoration Chapel is in need of adorers for the following hours:

Monday: 9:00am, 6:00pm, 11:00pm

Tuesday: 6:00am

Thursday: 6:00pm, 11:00pm

Friday: 5:00am

Saturday: 1:00am, 1:00pm, 6:00pm, 7:00pm

If you are able to give one hour a week to our Lord, please contact Maxine Staub at 717-637-5683

Parish Lector Ministry

If you are interested in becoming a lector for our liturgies, please contact Erin Dolce at 410-258-7239 or email ecatdol@gmail.com. We are especially in need for Saturday evening Mass. Training will be provided.

Barn Renovation Project



The renovation of the barn has officially begun! This bell which has been in the barn for many years has now been removed and sent to the polisher for restoration. The bell was created some time in the second half of the 1700s. Could it have been the original bell of our parish? Quite possibly. Regardless, it will be restored to its original glory and mounted on a little belfry in the front of the barn similar to how the bigger bell is present at the front sidewalk/ entrance of the church. We appreciate all of your interest and support in our project! AMDG.

St. Teresa of Calcutta Catholic School Raffle Fundraiser

Match Evening PA Pick Three Calendar Raffle

Drawing dates: Feb. 1—May 11

100 Ways to be a winner! Ticket cost \$25

Stop by the parish office or contact the school office to purchase tickets.



Catholic Social Teaching Symposium

Saturday January 31, 2026

Diocesan Center, 4800 Union Deposit Road, Harrisburg

Registration is open! Rooted in the dignity of every human person, the Diocese of Harrisburg's inaugural Catholic Social Teaching Symposium is a day dedicated to exploring the church's response to some of the most urgent issues of our time. Through panels, breakout sessions, and practical discussions, participants will deepen their understanding of human dignity, solidarity, and our call to serve the common good. Together, we will reflect, learn, and discern how we can bring Christ's love into our communities through action, advocacy, and encounter. All are welcome to register and attend. The cost is \$20 per person which includes lunch. For the complete schedule, details, and to register, please visit <https://www.hbgdiocese.org/event/catholic-social-teaching-symposium/>



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