



# HOLY GHOST PARISH

Roman Catholic Church of the Tridentine Rite

Sunday, March 17, 2024 A.D.



## PASTOR

Fr. Gregory Pendergraft, FSSP

## PAROCHIAL VICARS

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## SACRAMENTAL EMERGENCIES

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## CONFESSION

Confessions are heard for 30 minutes before all Masses. There are an additional 30 minutes of Confession heard before the 10:30AM Mass every Sunday.

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## RECTORY HOURS

Open by Appointment

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Parish announcements sent by weekly  
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@ mailinglist@lehighvalleylatinmass.org

### **Sunday, March 17<sup>th</sup>**

8:30AM  
10:30AM

### **Monday, March 18<sup>th</sup>**

8:00AM

### **Tuesday, March 19<sup>th</sup>**

8:00AM

### **Wednesday, March 20<sup>th</sup>**

8:00AM

### **Thursday, March 21<sup>st</sup>**

8:00AM

### **Friday, March 22<sup>nd</sup>**

8:00AM

### **Saturday, March 23<sup>rd</sup>**

8:00AM

### **Sunday, March 24<sup>th</sup>**

8:30AM  
\*11:00AM

### **Passion Sunday**

† Repose of the soul of Bernard Horwath  
Pro Populo

### **Feria of Lent**

Suzanne Gillenkirk

### **St. Joseph, Spouse of the Blessed Virgin Mary, Confessor**

The Schwartz Family

### **Feria of Lent**

Margaret Walsh

### **Feria of Lent**

Cristina, Alex, and Baby Atiyeh

### **Feria of Lent**

† Repose of the soul of Barbara Hay

### **Feria of Lent**

† Repose of the soul of Mary Louise  
O'Rourke

### **Palm Sunday**

Dennis & Maria Mitchell  
Pro Populo

*\*The full liturgical schedule for Holy Week is on page 2 of this bulletin.*

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

Each week on Sundays there is a **coffee social** after the 8:30AM Mass and a **potluck and catechism** after the 10:30AM Mass in the church hall downstairs. Visitors are invited to join us.

**Stations of the Cross** is held on **Fridays during Lent** after the 8AM Mass and at 7PM. There is a **game night after Stations in the evening**. All are invited.

This **Wednesday**, March 20th, the **Pro-Life Holy Hour** will be at 6PM followed by the meeting at 7PM at St. Stephen's.

**Home-made Easter Candy and pierogi** are available for purchase. Order forms are at the church entrances and in the parish hall and are due by March 18<sup>th</sup>. Order pick-ups & payment will be on Palm Sunday.

The **40 Days for Life Vigil to End Abortion** is currently taking place until March 24<sup>th</sup>. Holy Ghost Parish will pray on Thursdays (March 21<sup>st</sup>) at the Allentown Planned Parenthood between 9AM-4PM. **Please email when you plan to go to schedule40dfl@gmail.com.**

Fr. Gregory Pendergraft, FSSP

St. Bernard of Clairvaux, a Cistercian monk who lived during the Middle Ages, is a great Saint and Doctor of the Church. It is related in the annals of Clairvaux that St. Bernard asked our Lord which was His most painful wound, and our Lord answered:

**“I had on my shoulder while I bore My Cross on the way of sorrows, a grievous wound which was more painful than the others, and which is not recorded by men. Honor this wound with thy devotion, and I will grant thee whatsoever thou dost ask through its virtue and merit... ”**

### Prayer to the Shoulder Wound of Christ

Most loving Jesus, meek Lamb of God, I, a miserable sinner, salute and worship the most Sacred Wound of Thy Shoulder on which Thou didst bear Thy heavy Cross which so tore Thy flesh and laid bare Thy Bones as to inflict on Thee an anguish greater than any other wound of Thy Most Blessed Body. I adore Thee, O Jesus most sorrowful; I praise and glorify Thee, and give Thee thanks for this most sacred and painful Wound, beseeching Thee by that exceeding pain, and by the crushing burden of Thy heavy Cross to be merciful to me, a sinner, to forgive me all my mortal and venial sins, and to lead me on towards Heaven along the Way of Thy Cross. Amen.



**“Let us go to the foot of the Cross, and there complain, if we have the courage.”**

**-St. Madeleine Sophie Barat**

### Holy Week Liturgical Schedule:

#### **Palm Sunday:**

7:00AM Low Mass  
8:30AM Low Mass  
11:00AM Solemn High Mass with Procession

#### **Holy Monday:**

8:00AM Solemn High Mass

#### **Holy Tuesday:**

6:30PM Solemn High Mass

#### **Spy Wednesday:**

8:00AM Solemn Mass  
5:30PM Tenebrae

#### **Holy (Maundy) Thursday:**

4:00PM Mandatum  
6:00PM Solemn High Mass  
Tenebrae in the presence of the Blessed Sacrament following Mass.

#### **Good Friday:**

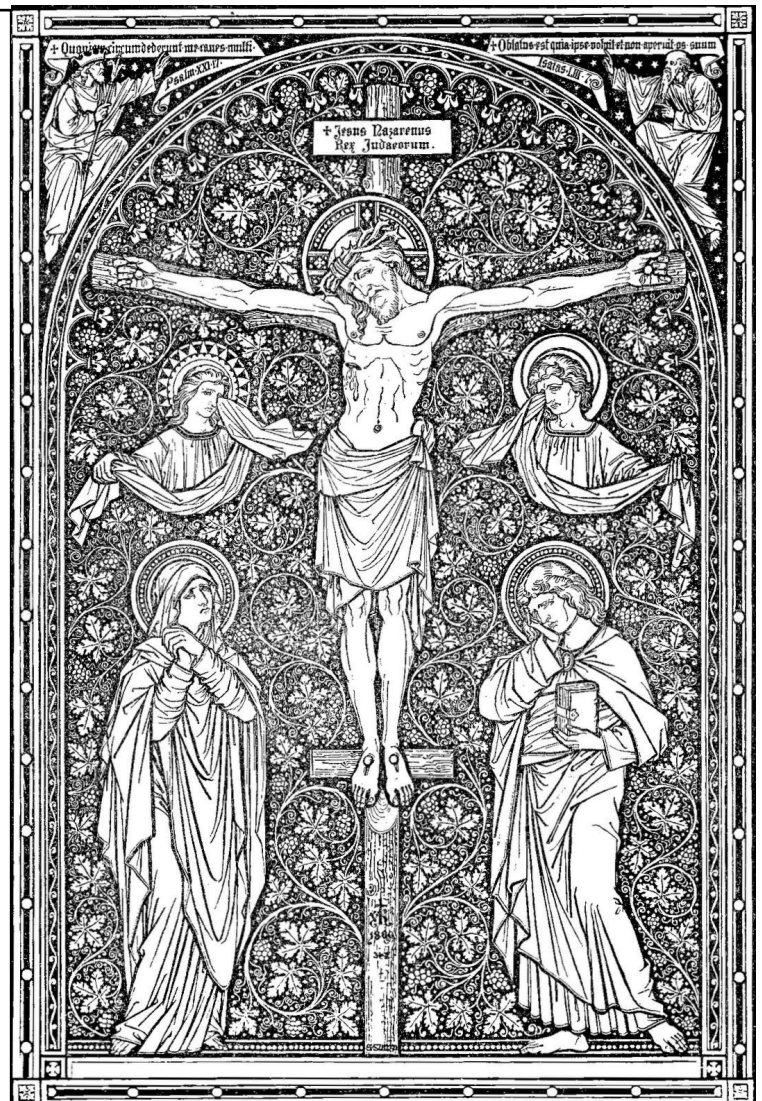
1:00PM Stations of the Cross  
1:30PM Meditation on 7 Last Words  
3:00PM Good Friday Liturgy  
6:00PM Tenebrae

#### **Holy Saturday:**

\*No Morning Mass\*  
10:00AM Blessing of Easter Baskets  
6:30PM Mass, Vigil of Easter

#### **Easter Sunday:**

7:00AM Low Mass  
8:30AM Low Mass  
10:30AM Solemn High Mass



# Proprium Missae Dominicalis (Proper of the Sunday Mass)

## **Introit (Psalm 42 : 1 - 3)**

Júdica me, Deus, et discérne causam meam de gente non sancta: ab hómine iníquo et dolóso éripe me: quia tu es Deus meus et fortitúdo mea.

**Ps.** Emítte lucem tuam et veritátem tuam: ipsa me deduxérunt et adduxérunt in montem sanctum tuum et in tabernácula tua.. --Júdica me, Deus ...

## **Collect**

Quæsumus, omnípotens Deus, famíliam tuam propítius réspice: ut, te largiénte, regátur in córpore; et, te servánte, custodiátur in mente. Per Dóminum nostrum Jesum Christum Fílium tuum: Qui tecum vivit et regnat in unitáte Spíritus Sancti, Deus, per ómnia sæcula sæculórum. Amen.

## **Epistle (Hebrews 9 : 11 – 15)**

Fratres: Christus assistens pónטיפex futurórum bonórum, per ámplius et perféctius tabernáculum non manufactum, id est, non hujus creatiónis: neque per sánguinem hircórum aut vitulórum, sed per próprium sánguinem introívit semel in Sancta, ætérra redemptióne invénta. Si enim sanguis hircórum et taurórum, et cinis vitulæ aspérsus, inquinátos sanctificat ad emundatióem carnis; quanto magis sanguis Christi, qui per Spíritum Sanctum semetípsum óbtulit immaculátum Deo, emundábit consciéntiam nostram ab opéribus mórtuis, ad serviéndum Deo vivénti? Et ideo novi testaménti mediátor est: ut morte intercedénte, in redemptióem eárum prævaricatiónum, quæ erant sub prióri testaménto, repromissióem accípiant, qui vocáti sunt ætérra hereditátis, in Christo Jesu Dómino nostro.

## **Gradual (Psalm 142 : 9, 10, Psalm 17 : 48, 49)**

Éripe me, Dómine, de inimícis meis: doce me fácere voluntátem tuam.

☩. Liberátor meus, Dómine, de géntibus iracúndis: ab insurgéntibus in me exaltábis me a viro iníquo erípies me.

## **Tract (Psalm 128 : 1, 4)**

Sæpe expugnavérunt me a juventúte mea.

☩. Dicat nunc Israél: sæpe expugnavérunt me a juventúte mea.

☩. Etenim non potuérunt mihi: supra dorsum meum fabricavérunt peccatóres.

☩. Prolongavérunt iniquitátes suas: Dóminus justus concídit cervíces peccatórum.

Judge me, O God, and distinguish my cause from the nation that is not holy: deliver me from the unjust and deceitful man: for Thou art God my strength.

**Ps.** Send forth Thy light, and Thy truth: they have conducted me, and brought me unto Thy holy hill, and into Thy tabernacles – Judge me, O God ...

We beseech Thee, O almighty God, look mercifully upon Thy family: that by Thy bounty it may be governed in body, and by Thy keeping be guarded in mind. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, Thy Son, Who liveth and reigneth with Thee in the unity of the Holy Ghost, God, world without end. Amen.

Brethren: Christ being come an High Priest of the good things to come, by a greater and more perfect tabernacle, not made with hands, that is, not of this creation: neither by the blood of goats or of calves, but by His own Blood, entered once into the Holies, having obtained eternal redemption. For if the blood of goats and of oxen and the ashes of an heifer, being sprinkled, sanctify such as are defiled, to the cleansing of the flesh: how much more shall the Blood of Christ, who, by the Holy Ghost, offered Himself unspotted unto God, cleanse our conscience from dead works, to serve the living God? And therefore He is the Mediator of the new Testament: that by means of His death, for the redemption of those transgressions which were under the former Testament, they that are called may receive the promise of eternal inheritance, in Christ Jesus our Lord.

Deliver me, O Lord, from mine enemies: teach me to do Thy will.

☩. Thou art my deliverer, O Lord, from the angry nations: Thou wilt lift me up above them that rise up against me: from the unjust man Thou wilt deliver me.

Often have they fought against me from my youth.

☩. Let Israel now say: often have they fought against me from my youth.

☩. But they could not prevail over me: the wicked have wrought upon my back.

☩. They have lengthened their iniquities: the Lord who is just will cut the necks of sinners.

**Gospel (St. John 8 : 46 - 59)**

In illo témpore: Dicébat Jesus turbis Judæórum: Quis ex vobis árguet me de peccáto? Si veritátem dico vobis, quare non créditis mihi? Qui ex Deo est, verba Dei audit. Proptérea vos non audítis, quia ex Deo non estis. Respondérunt ergo Judæi, et dixérunt ei: Nonne bene dícimus nos, quia Samaritánus es tu, et dæmónium, habes? Respóndit Jesus: Ego dæmónium non hábeo: sed honorífico Patrem meum, et vos inhonorástis me. Ego autem non quæro glóriam meam: est qui quærat, et júdicet. Amen, amen dico vobis: si quis sermónem meum serváverit, mortem non vidébit in ætérnum. Dixérunt ergo Judæi: Nunc cognóvimus quia dæmónium habes. Abraham mórtuus est et prophétæ: et tu dicis: Si quis sermónem meum serváverit, non gustábit mortem in ætérnum. Numquid tu major es patre nostro Abraham, qui mórtuus est? et prophétæ mórtui sunt. Quem teípsum facis? Respóndit Jesus: Si ego glorífico meípsum, glória mea nihil est: est Pater meus, qui glorificat me, quem vos dícitis quia Deus vester est, et non cognovístis eum: ego autem novi eum: et si vobis, mendax. Sed scio eum, et sermónem ejus servo. Ábraham pater vester exsultávit, ut vidéret diem meum: vidit, et gavísus est. Dixérunt ergo Judæi ad eum: Quinquagínta annos nondum habes, et Ábraham vidísti? Dixit eis Jesus: Amen, amen dico vobis, ántequam Ábraham fieret, ego sum. Tulérunt ergo lápides, ut jácerent in eum: Jesus autem abscondit se, et exívit de templo.

**Offertory (Psalm 118 : 17, 107)**

Confitébor tibi, Dómine, in toto corde meo: retribuere servo tuo: vivam, et custódiam sermónes tuos: vivífica me secúndum verbum tuum Dómine.

**Communion (I Cor. 11 : 24 – 25)**

Jerúsalem, quæ ædificátur ut civitas, cujus participátio Hoc corpus, quod pro vobis tradétur: hic calix novi testaménti est in meo sángine, dicit Dóminus: hoc fácite, quotiescúmque súmitis, in meam commemoratiónem.

At that time Jesus said to the multitudes of the Jews: Which of you shall convince Me of sin? If I say the truth to you, why do you not believe Me? He that is of God, heareth the words of God. Therefore you hear them not, because you are not of God. The Jews therefore answered, and said to Him: Do not we say well, that Thou art a Samaritan, and hast a devil? Jesus answered: I have not a devil: but I honor my Father, and you have dishonored Me. But I seek not Mine own glory: there is One that seeketh and judgeth. Amen, amen, I say to you: If any man keep My word, he shall not see death for ever. The Jews therefore said: Now we know that Thou hast a devil. Abraham is dead, and the Prophets: and thou sayest: If any man keep My word, he shall not taste death for ever. Art thou greater than our father Abraham, who is dead? and the Prophets are dead. Whom dost thou make Thyself? Jesus answered: If I glorify Myself, My glory is nothing: it is My Father that glorifieth Me, of whom you say that He is your God, and you have not known Him: but I know Him: and if I shall say that I know Him not, I shall be like to you, a liar. But I do know Him, and do keep His word. Abraham your father rejoiced that he might see My day: he saw it and was glad. The Jews therefore said to Him: Thou art not yet fifty years old: and hast Thou seen Abraham? Jesus said to them: Amen, amen, I say to you, before Abraham was made, I am. They took up stones therefore to cast at Him: but Jesus hid Himself, and went out of the temple.

I will confess to Thee, O Lord, with my whole heart: render to Thy servant: I shall live and keep Thy words: enliven me according to Thy word, O Lord.

This is My Body which shall be delivered for you: this chalice is the new Testament in My Blood, saith the Lord: do this, as often as you receive it, in commemoration of Me.

**✠ VOTIVE CANDLES ✠**

\$10 donation per week. More than one votive candle may be lit per statue or altar. Please call the rectory to reserve.

**Sanctuary Lamp:**

**Beatae Mariae Virginis Altar:** †Repose of the soul of Bernard Horwath

**Madonna della Pietà Altar:**

**St. Joseph Altar:**

**Sacred Heart Altar:**

**St. Padre Pio:** †Repose of the souls of Mr. & Mrs. Ronald S. Narzisi

†Repose of the soul of Darwin Dunlap

**San Giovanni Eremita:**

**St. Therese of Lisieux:** †Repose of the soul of Jason Dunlap

**Our Lady of Pompeii:**

**Infant of Prague:**

## **Parish Groups/Activities**

### **Altar Server Guild**

The Altar Server Guild meets on the 1<sup>st</sup> Saturday of each month after the 8AM Mass. Please speak to one of the priests for more details.

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### **Friends of St. Dominic Savio**

Boys & Girls aged 5-10 meet for a talk by Father and fun activities after the 8AM Mass on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Saturday of each month. Group contact: marycavoto82@gmail.com

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### **Prime Time Seniors Group**

Holy Ghost Prime Time Seniors is open to anyone 55 years of age and older. Meetings are held in the church hall downstairs on the first and third Mondays each month starting at 1PM. Refreshments are served at each meeting. Call Carol Barron at 610-428-0617 for more information.

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### **Women's Rosary and Altar Society**

The Women's Rosary and Altar Society is for ladies 18+ and meets on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Saturday of each month after 8AM Mass. The society prays the Rosary after Mass, enjoys coffee and refreshments while Father gives a talk.

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### **Mary Immaculate Choir**

The Mary Immaculate Choir (MIC) is the mixed-voice ensemble that sings at the 10:30AM Mass each Sunday. Contact director Eric McWhirter for more information: eric.mcwhirter@gmail.com

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### **Parish Registration**

If you wish to become a parishioner of Holy Ghost Parish, you must fill out and submit a registration form. These can be obtained by emailing the parish at: dhghostchurch@gmail.com

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### **Additional Parking Options**

There is a public parking garage located within walking distance of Holy Ghost for those looking for another parking option when attending Mass. The address is:

New Street Garage  
324 S. New St., Bethlehem, PA  
Rate: \$1/hr, Sundays are free.

## **Men's Group In Honor of the Chaste Heart of St. Joseph**

The Men's Group In Honor of the Chaste Heart of St. Joseph meets at 7PM the 2<sup>nd</sup> Wednesday of each month for Eucharistic Adoration, a talk on virtue by Father, and fellowship.

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### **Federation of North American Explorers**

A Uniformed Catholic Scouting Group for ages 6-17, girls and boys, meets on Tuesdays at 6:30PM at various locations. Contact ststephenofhungaryfne@gmail.com for more information.

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### **Pro-Life Apostolate**

The Pro-Life apostolate meets on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesday of each month at 6PM for a Holy Hour followed by the meeting. Contact Mary at schedule40dfl@gmail.com for more information.

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### **Helping Hands**

Helping Hands organizes meals for families welcoming the birth of a new child and other needs. For more information contact helpinghandsholyghost@gmail.com

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### **Hospitality & Potluck**

The weekly potluck socials after Mass are organized by our parish hospitality apostolate. Please contact John & Joan Cavanagh to volunteer: holyghosthospitality@outlook.com

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### **St. Monica Society & Our Lady of Guadalupe Society**

The St. Monica Society (SMS) and Our Lady of Guadalupe Society (OLGS) have Masses offered monthly to pray for the return to the practice of the Catholic Faith (SMS) and conversion to it (OLGS) of loved ones. Contact Wanda at wtansey@hotmail.com for more information.

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### **Zelie's Workshop**

Parishioners share their skills in areas such as cooking, gardening, sewing, drawing, and more. Meetings are on the 4<sup>th</sup> Saturday of each month. Contact Email: JulieMoser63@Outlook.com