

FIFTH WEEK - BUSES ARE FILLING UP QUICKLY

Pilgrimage to Washington, DC

<u>Basilica of the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception - October</u> 17, 2025.

Important Notice: We are taking reservations for the Buses traveling to Washington DC for the Jubilee 2025 Pilgrimage to the Basilica of the National Shine of the Immaculate Conception. The cost of the Bus is \$50.00 per person and includes the tip for the bus driver. The bus will depart at EXACTLY 6:30 AM from the HOME DEPOT parking lot, Galleria Extension Drive in Johnstown. Payment is due no later than September 15th, 2025.

ONLY 3 BUSES with 150 SEATS are available.

We currently have one bus filled up and there are 59 seats left!

Reservations will be taken on a first come first serve basis. <u>To reserve a seat (s) and make payment to Visitation of the Blessed Virgin Mary Parish, please call Catherine Bennett, Secretary at 814-536-6110, x1., Monday through Friday from 10:00 AM until 3:00 PM.</u>

You are advised to <u>CARPOOL</u> to the HOME DEPOT because of limited parking. More information and an itinerary for the day will be distributed closer to the event. Please call as soon as possible because seats will fill up fast and <u>these</u> are the only buses reserved for the Johnstown area.

Ice Cream Crawl Update – Our final stop on the 1st Annual Visitation Parish Ice Cream Crawl will be at Dairy Queen in Richland on Sunday, August 17th at 7:00 PM. All are welcome to join in our final sweet treat trek. Please contact Kristyn Amendola at (814) 248-2942 for more information or to arrange transportation.

Fatima Devotions - The Franciscan Friars, T.O.R., from Loretto, invite you to participate with them in celebrating the Fatima Devotions on Wednesday August 13th, 2025, at 6:30pm at the Sunken Gardens (In case of inclement weather they will be at the Immaculate Conception Chapel on the campus of St. Francis University). The presider will be Fr. David Dodd, T.O.R. Bring a Friend!

Mums Sale – From August 10th until September 2nd, we will be selling coupons for mums from Fosbrink's Four Seasons on Goucher Street. The coupons are redeemable from September 9th until September 13th and their hours are from 10:00 AM to 5:00 PM. These times are reserved for Visitation Parish pick ups. There will be three different coupons: a 9" pot is \$10.00, a pumpkin pot (which has a metal pumpkin, scarecrow, etc. in the pot) is \$9.00 and a porch planter for \$25.00. Please help support Visitation Parish in this new fundraiser with Fosbrink's Four Seasons.