

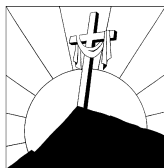
SAINT HIPPOLYTE CHURCH

26012 N. Frenchtown Rd., Guys Mills PA 16327
(GPS only; send mail to the parish office)

Monday 8:30am - Prayer Service and Rosary
Sunday 11:00am - Mass

Confessions:

Before and After Mass or By Appointment



The Fifth Sunday of Easter

April 28, 2024

OUR LADY OF LOURDES CHURCH

251 S. Franklin St., Cochranton, PA 16314
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Friday 8:30am - Adoration and Rosary

IT IS THE MISSION OF SAINT HIPPOLYTE AND OUR LADY OF LOURDES TO FULLY, CONSCIOUSLY, AND ACTIVELY GROW AS A FAMILY CENTERED IN CHRIST MINISTERING TO THE ENTIRE CHRISTIAN COMMUNITY.

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Rev. Jeffrey J. Lucas

Parochial Vicar

Rev. Kyle Seyler

Faith Formation Coordinator

Joyce Tarr 814-671-1009

Administrative Assistant

Desiree Wagner

Director of Music Ministries

Darcie Schoenfeldt

To schedule an appointment with

Father Lucas or Father Seyler, call 814-336-1112.

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Office Hours: Monday-Friday, 9:00am-4:00pm

St. Hippolyte Social Hall: 814-789-4533

Our Lady of Lourdes Social Hall: 814-425-7550

Weekly Liturgy Schedule

MONDAY, APRIL 29, SAINT CATHERINE OF SIENA

8:30am SH Prayer Service and Rosary

TUESDAY, APRIL 30, SAINT PIUS V

WEDNESDAY, MAY 1, SAINT JOSEPH THE WORKER

THURSDAY, MAY 2, SAINT ATHANASIUS

FRIDAY, MAY 3, SAINTS PHILIP and JAMES

8:30am OLL Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament and Rosary

SATURDAY, MAY 4, EASTER WEEKDAY

SUNDAY, MAY 5, SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

11:00am SH John Petruso (Dutch Barickman Family)

Read the parish bulletin online at
www.sainthippolytechurch.com

HELPING HANDS MINISTRY

Coordinators:

Fran Greathouse 814-425-2549

Carole Jones 814-789-2881

Prayer Requests:

Bob & Denise Schoenfeldt.... 814-333-8464

Julia Hovis 814-657-3265

Visitation:

Carole Jones (cards) 814-789-2881

Pam Garofola (cards) 814-720-8190

Connie Molli (telephone)..... 814-967-3813

Brenda Withers (telephone) .. 814-425-1062

Ministry of Welcome:

Garold Molli..... 814-967-3813

Jen Mitchell (newborns)..... 412-965-2141

Services to the Bereaved:

Kay Hotchkiss (Mass)..... 814-425-3933

Steve Dale (Mass) 814-425-2341

Kitty Jehn (dinner) 814-425-8282

Cathy Kalinowski (dinner).... 814-425-2484

Rita Bogardus (dinner)..... 814-789-2679

Joyce Tarr (follow up)..... 814-671-1009

Emergency Home Care:

Mary Beth Coyle (meals)..... 814-350-6218

Amy Mercier (meals)..... 814-795-0052

Scott Wheelock (odd jobs).... 814-967-4319

Mary Everitt (temporary relief to a caregiver)

..... 814-853-0599

PARISH MEMBERSHIP: Membership includes active participation in the sacramental life of the Church, involvement in the activities of the faith community and financial support of the parish. New members are welcome to register by calling the parish office.

BAPTISM: Parents must attend the Pre-Baptism Program. Call the parish office for a copy of the program schedule and to schedule your child's baptism.

MARRIAGE: One party must be a registered parishioner and actively involved for one year before scheduling a wedding. Please call the parish office at least six months prior to the proposed date of marriage. No date can be set before the first interview with the priest has been completed.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK: Please phone the parish office immediately if a loved one is sick or hospitalized.

THE SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

is offered in our parish 10 minutes prior to and immediately following Sunday Mass. Confession is also offered at The Epiphany of the Lord Parish, Saint Agatha Church (353 Pine Street, Meadville) on Saturday mornings following the 8:00am Mass and on Saturday afternoons at 3:30pm. To schedule an appointment with Father Lucas or Father Seyler, call 814-336-1112.

EVENTS THIS WEEK

Today	9:15am	Faith Formation Grades PS-2, 4-8
	11:00am	First Holy Communion
Monday	8:30am	Prayer and Rosary at SH
	9:15am	Small Group Bible Study at SH
Wednesday	6:00pm	Finance Council at the Rectory
	7:00pm	Le Nom du Pere Society at SH
	7:00pm	Choir at SH
Thursday	8:00am—5:00pm	Garage Sale at SH
Friday	8:00am—5:00pm	Garage Sale at SH
	8:30am	Adoration and Rosary at OLL
Saturday	8:30am-Noon	Garage Sale at SH "Bag Day"
Sunday	9:15am	Faith Formation Grades PS-8 at SH

COMING EVENTS

May 7 Joint PAC meeting with Epiphany Parish at SH 6:00pm
Rosary at OLL 6:30pm

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

TODAY:	Acts 9:26-31/1 Jn 3:18-24/Jn 15:1-8
MONDAY:	Acts 14:5-18/Jn 14:21-26
TUESDAY:	Acts 14:19-28/Jn 14:27-31a
WEDNESDAY:	Acts 15:1-6/Jn 15:1-8
THURSDAY:	Acts 15:7-21/Jn 15:9-11
FRIDAY:	1 Cor 15:1-8/Jn 14:6-14
SATURDAY:	Acts 16:1-10/Jn 15:18-21
SUNDAY:	Acts 10:25-26, 34-35, 44-48/1 Jn 4:7-10/Jn 15:9-17

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Apr 29: Sandy Chatley, Kiley Dent
May 1: Jack Rynd
May 2: Kyle Acel, Allison Polley, Lilli Terrill
May 3: Hattie Borkovich, Gwen Shank, John Wentworth
May 4: Brooke Mirage
May 5: Luke Sleeman, Father Jeff Lucas

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY

May 1: Carl & Kay Hotchkiss
May 2: Bret & Jenna Barickman
May 3: Larry & Sharon Nielsen
Mat 5: Dan & Tina Kritikos

QUESTION OF THE WEEK

Suggested text for faith sharing: Today's Gospel

Adults – How does your own connection to Christ, the vine, affect your daily life? What image from this reading helps you see the importance of this connection to Christ?

Youth – Jesus is the vine—we are the branches, connected to Him as our life-source. When do you feel most connected to Jesus in your everyday life? How can you go there more often?

Children – How do you keep yourself connected to Jesus in your daily life?

SACRIFICIAL GIVING

Our gifts given in thanksgiving for what we have already received.

	SH	OLL
Offertory last week:	\$ 992	\$ 584
envelopes used:	38	18
Good Shepherd	\$ 537	\$ 100
Building Fund last week:	\$ 315	\$ 145
envelopes used:	17	6

Catholic Services Appeal 2024:

Diocesan Assessment: \$29,034

of Gifts/Pledges: 59

Pledged: \$25,705 Received: \$15,955

Thanks for your generosity and dedication.

HELPING HANDS PRAYER Your love for us, O God, surpasses our poor hearts, and Your command is only this: that we should become true disciples by believing in Jesus and loving one another. Grafted now as living branches of Christ the true Vine, may we be pruned and cultivated by Your care and so glorify You by bearing much fruit in the midst of the church. We ask this through the Lord Jesus, our Passover and our Peace, Who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God for ever and ever. Amen.

PARISH RAFFLE TICKET RETURNS

can be made through the collection basket, given to Kathy Young or mailed to the parish office. If you need more tickets, please contact the parish office or Kathy Young. Our next monthly drawing will be held next Sunday, May 5.

INTERESTED IN ATTENDING A CURSILLO WEEKEND or NEED MORE INFO?

Pick up a brochure in the church vestibule or call Carl and Kay Hotchkiss at 814-425-3933.

LOOKING FOR RESOURCES FOR YOUR FAMILY?



Discover why families always matter at:
<http://www.eriecd.org/fam.htm>

LIKE US ON FACEBOOK:
Saint Hippolyte/Our Lady of Lourdes Roman Catholic Church



Join the diocesan Facebook page at www.ErieRCD.org

Contact the parish office for bulletin announcements. The deadline for submitting information to be included in the parish bulletin is Monday at noon. To avoid confusion, information should be submitted in writing.

THE SANCTUARY CANDLE is burning this week at Saint Hippolyte Church in honor of Luke Sleeman as requested by Garold & Connie Molli and at Our Lady of Lourdes Church in memory of Ed Coyle as requested by MaryBeth Coyle.

If you would like the Sanctuary Candle to be lit for a week for a special intention or in memory of your loved one at either of our churches, please call Desi at the parish office at 814-789-2022. Donation: \$10 per week.

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament is held every Friday morning at 8:30am at Our Lady of Lourdes.

The Parish Finance Council will meet on Wednesday at 6:00pm at the rectory for the annual budget planning meeting.

Le Nom du Pere Society will meet on Wednesday at 7:00pm in the Saint Hippolyte Parish Activities Room. Following a brief meeting, final set up for the Garage Sale will take place in the social hall. Come early to enjoy food and fellowship before the meeting. All are welcome.

Ham or Chicken Dinner News...Mark your calendar for July 28. The dinner will be here before you know it! We are keeping the job assignment schedule as it was last year. If you worked last year, you will be assigned the same position for this year. If you did not work last year and are able to do so this year, there are plenty of openings available for you. If you need to change the position you held last year, please let us know now, since we are beginning to work on the list. Contact MaryBeth Coyle at 814-350-6218.

Saint Jude the Apostle Parish in Erie is conducting a raffle for a 2024 Corvette or \$50,000 in cash. Tickets are \$50 each and tickets purchased by the end of this month will be entered in a drawing for \$250 in Yeti gear. For more info call 814-833-0927 or email car@stjude.church

Welcome to the Catholic Christian Community, Zachary Alan Jerman and Ava Kristine Paul!

- Zach entered the church through the RCIA process and celebrated the Sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation and Eucharist at the Easter Vigil on March 30. Zach's sponsor was Jordy Ploski. Congratulations to Zach and his family!
- Ava is the daughter of David and Kaylan Paul and was baptized at Saint Hippolyte on Sunday, April 14 during the 11:00am Mass. Congratulations to the Paul Family!

Congratulations to those celebrating their First Holy Communion today: Madeline Carless, daughter of Brian & Jessie Carless; **Lucas Huddleson**, son of Mike and Keri Huddleson; **Owen Kirk**, son of Mark and Christen Kirk; **Kylee Mailliard**, daughter of Chris and Tanaya Mailliard; **Ben Neely**, son of Brett and Nicole Neely.

Helping Hands Update...We'd like to start a new ministry to contact our registered parishioners who we haven't seen at Mass for a while. Just to let them know that we miss them and that they are always welcome to join us. The initial contact would involve you mailing them a birthday and/or missing you greeting card. If you feel God is calling you to contact the "lost sheep" of our parish, please contact Carole Jones at 814-720-7198 (by phone call or text message) or email cajpjones@gmail.com. We pray that many of you will join us in this effort to follow Jesus' instruction to the apostles: "*Do not go into pagan territory or enter a Samaritan town. Go rather to the lost sheep of the house of Israel.*" (Matthew 10:5-6)

All are welcome to attend a parish mission at St. Agatha Church of the Epiphany of the Lord Parish, 353 Pine St., Meadville, May 12, 13 and 14. A mission is like a mini-retreat, a chance for you to rejuvenate your spiritual life! When you're driving, if you don't periodically stop for gas you're not going anywhere. This is your chance to fill up your spiritual gas tank! Fr. Ben Dagher will speak on "Prayer: The Missing Ingredient in our Spiritual Lives." The Rosary is at 6:00pm with the main talk at 6:30 pm. Tuesday evening we will have a healing Mass followed by an opportunity to pray individually with prayer teams. Afterward each evening there will be a social in St. Agatha's Center. Hope to see you there!



NATIONAL
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Revival**

In his book "And Now I See", Barron describes the *pusilla anima* (the small soul), something that has infected the Church and the priesthood for a long time. He writes: "*To overcome fear is to move from the pusilla anima (the small soul) to the magna anima (the great soul). When we are dominated by our egos, we live in a very narrow space, in the angustiae (the straits) between this fear and that, between this attachment and that. But when we surrender in trust to the bearing power of God, our souls become great, roomy, expansive. We realize that we are connected to all things and to the creative energy of the whole cosmos.*" How many young men do we have in our parish who are daring enough to be great souled? www.ncregister.com/blog/bishop-robert-barron

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May 2024 — Parish Calendar

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat		
<p style="text-align: center;">Sunday Mass: 11:00am at Saint Hippolyte</p> <p style="text-align: center;">View the monthly parish calendar online: https://sainthippolytechurch.com/events.html</p>			<p><i>1</i></p> <p>6:00pm Finance Council at Rectory</p> <p>7:00pm—SH Le Nom du Pere Society Meeting</p> <p>7:00pm—SH Choir</p>	<p><i>2</i></p> <p>8:00am— 5:00pm</p>	<p><i>3</i></p> <p>8:30am—OLL Adoration and Rosary</p> <p>8:00am— 5:00pm</p>	<p><i>4</i></p> <p>8:00am— Noon</p>	<p>Indoor Garage Sale at SH</p>	
<p><i>5</i></p> <p><i>6th Sunday of Easter</i></p> <p>Faith Formation PS-8 (last class until September)</p>	<p><i>6</i></p> <p>8:30am—SH Prayer Service and Rosary</p> <p>9:15am—SH Small Group Bible Study</p>	<p><i>7</i></p> <p>6:00pm—SH PAC Joint Meeting with Epiphany</p> <p>6:30pm—OLL Rosary</p>	<p><i>8</i></p> <p>7:00pm—OLL Choir</p>	<p><i>9</i></p> <p><i>The Ascension of the Lord</i></p> <p>10:00am—OLL Garden Group</p> <p>6:00pm—SH Holy Day Mass</p>	<p><i>10</i></p> <p>8:30am—OLL Adoration and Rosary</p>	<p><i>11</i></p>		
<p><i>12</i></p> <p><i>7th Sunday of Easter</i></p> <p></p>	<p><i>13</i></p> <p>8:30am—SH Prayer Service and Rosary</p> <p>9:15am—SH Small Group Bible Study</p> <p>6:00pm—OLL Family Society</p>	<p><i>14</i></p>	<p><i>15</i></p> <p>7:00pm—SH Choir</p>	<p><i>16</i></p>	<p><i>17</i></p> <p>8:30am—OLL Adoration and Rosary</p>	<p><i>18</i></p>		
<p>Parish Mission at St. Agatha Church</p>								
<p><i>19</i></p> <p><i>Pentecost</i></p> <p>Wear red today! Second Collection: International Needs</p> <p></p>	<p><i>20</i></p> <p>8:30am—SH Prayer Service and Rosary</p> <p>9:15am—SH Small Group Bible Study</p>	<p><i>21</i></p>	<p><i>22</i></p> <p>7:00pm—OLL Choir</p>	<p><i>23</i></p> <p>6:30pm—SH Pre-Baptism Class for Parents</p>	<p><i>24</i></p> <p>8:30am—OLL Adoration and Rosary</p> <p>7:00pm Priesthood Ordination at St. Peter Cathedral, Erie</p>	<p><i>25</i></p>		
<p><i>26</i></p>	<p><i>27</i></p> <p><i>Memorial Day</i></p> <p></p> <p>Parish Office Closed</p>	<p><i>28</i></p>	<p><i>29</i></p> <p>7:00pm—SH Choir</p>	<p><i>30</i></p>	<p><i>31</i></p> <p>8:30am—OLL Adoration and Rosary</p>			

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PRAY
FOR
OUR
PRIESTS

May 2024

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Sat	
			1	2	3	4
5 Rev. Jeffrey Lucas	6 Rev William Barron	7 Rev Walter Packard	8 Rev Mark Nowak	9 Feast of the Ascension	10 Rev Kevin Holland	11 Rev David Renne
12 	13 Rev Lawrence Richards	14 Rev Dennis Veltri	15 Rev Richard Allen	16 Rev Philip Pinczewski	17 Rev Msgr. David Rubino	18 Rev Msgr. Joseph Rice
18 Rev Stanley Swacha	20 Thw Most Rev Lawrence Pevsico	21 Rev Msgr. Charles Kaza	22 Rev Mark J. Mastrian	23 Rev Alexander Amico	24 Rev Joseph Daugherty	25 Rev Thomas Trochto
26 Rev John Santor	27 	28 Rev Michael Kevichi	29 Rev. Msgr. Henry Krebs	30 Rev William O'Brien	31 Rev Howard King	



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