SAINT HIPPOLYTE

26012 N. Frenchtown Rd., Guys Mills PA 16327

Liturgies: Saturday 5:00pm (Nov.—April) Sunday 10:30am

Confessions: Saturday 4:30pm (Nov.—April) Sunday following the 10:30am Mass The Second Sunday in Ordinary Time January 19, 2020

OUR LADY OF LOURDES

251 S. Franklin St., Cochranton, PA 16314

Liturgies: Saturday 5:00pm (May—Oct.) Sunday 8:30am

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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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St. Hippolyte Social Hall: (814) 789-4533 Our Lady of Lourdes Social Hall: (814) 425-7550

Weekly Liturgy Schedule

MONDAY, JANUARY 20, SAINT FABIAN; SAINT SEBASTIAN 8:30am SH Intentions of Elisabeth Guest in honor of her birthday (Monday Small Group)

TUESDAY, JANUARY 21, SAINT AGNES

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 22, DAY OF PRAYER FOR THE LEGAL PROTECTION OF UNBORN CHILDREN

THURSDAY, JANUARY 23, SAINT VINCENT; SAINT MARIANNE COPE

FRIDAY, JANURY 24, SAINT FRANCIS de SALES 8:30am OLL intentions of John & Fran Greathouse (Bob & Kitty Jehn)

SATURDAY, JANUARY 25, CONVERSION OF SAINT PAUL Anticipated Sunday Liturgy: 5:00pm SH John L. Prez (Family)

SUNDAY, JANUARY 26, THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME 8:30am OLL Intentions of Mary Beth Coyle 10:30am SH For the Parishioners

Read the parish bulletin online at www.sainthippolytechurch.com

HELPING HANDS

Coordinators:	Transportation:
Fran Greathouse	Jennifer Mitchell827-3803
Carole Jones	Bob Robinson (to church)282-3673
Prayer Requests:	Beth Bryan (errands) 671-3335
Bob & Denise Schoenfeldt 333-8464	Services to the Bereaved:
Julia Hovis	Kay Hotchkiss (Mass) 425-3933
Visitation: 789-3683 Elisabeth Guest (cards) 789-3683 Nancy Musser (cards) 425-7725 Connie Molli (visits/telephone) 967-3813 Judy Shonnard (visits) 758-1169 Sharon Boughner (telephone) 425-8284	Mary Ann Francic (Mass)
Emergency Home Care: Ruth Jackard (Meals)	Joanne Froella

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.

EVENTS THIS WEEK

Today 8:00am Confessions at OLL 8:45am FF Grades PS-8 at SH

11:45am Confessions at SH

Monday Parish Office Closed Today 9:00am Small Group Bible Study at SH

7:00pm Finance Council meeting at SH

Saturday 4:30pm Confessions at SH Sunday 8:00am Confessions at OLL 8:45am FF Grades PS-8 at SH

9:45am FF Grades PS-10 at OLL 11:45am Confessions at SH 4:00pm FF Grades 9-11 at SH

COMING EVENTS

Jan. 27 Liturgy Committee meeting at OLL 7:00pm

Feb. 2 Meeting for Confirmation Journey Students (9-11), their

parents, and their sponsors at SH 1:00pm

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

TODAY: Is 49:3, 5-6/1 Cor 1:1-3/Jn 1:29-34

MONDAY: 1 Sm 15:16-23/Mk 2:18-22 TUESDAY: 1 Sm 16:1-13/Mk 2:23-28 WEDNESDAY: 1 Sm 17:32-33/Mk 3:1-6 THURSDAY: 1 Sm 18:6-9; 19:1-7/Mk 3:7-12 FRIDAY: 1 sm 24:3-21/Mk 3:13-19

SATURDAY: Acts 22:3-16 or Acts 9:1-22/Mk 16:15-18 SUNDAY: Is 8:23—9:3/1 Cor 1:10-13,17/Mt 4:12-23

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Jan. 20: Jon Grundy, Amy Mercier, Amanda Tate

Jan. 21: Karen Martin, Arthur Papenfuse, Phil Young, Jr. Jan. 23: Theresa Mailliard, Cassidy Mangus, Ray Schenberg

Jan. 24: Lauren DeFrances, Tim Stewart Jan. 25: Kathy Easly, Bob Robinson Jan. 26: Eve Beuchat, Bill Musser

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY

Jan. 20: Larry & Krista Rhoades Jan. 21: Ed & Maureen Siverling

QUESTION OF THE WEEK

Suggested text for faith sharing: Today's Gospel

Adults – In the Gospel today, John tells us who Jesus is for him. If someone were to ask you, how would you answer this question: Who is Jesus for you?

Youth – How are you able to see through all the busyness, the distractions, and the din of today's world to really see Christ as He make Himself present today? Where do you see Him or experience His presence?

Children – If someone were to ask you, "Who is Jesus?" how would you answer?

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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 425-3933. The next Cursillo for men is Men's #251, March 19-22. The next Cursillo for women is Women's #258, April 6-19. For more information, contact Kay and Carl at 425-3933 or any Cursillista.

SACRIFICIAL GIVING

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

Offertory last week: \$1,287 \$1,144 envelopes used: 47 40

Building Fund last week: \$371 \$283 envelopes used: 23 18

Catholic Services Appeal 2019:

Dio Assessment: \$27,485 # of Gifts/Pledges: 104

Pledged: \$40,950 Received: \$38,590

Thanks for your generosity and dedication.

HELPING HANDS PRAYER: Formed as Your Servant, O God, from the womb, Jesus is the Lamb Who takes away the sin of the world, the Light through Whom Your salvation reaches to the ends of the earth. On all who have been sanctified in Christ Jesus and called to be saints let the Spirit descend and remain, so that, filled with grace and peace, we may reveal the One Whom we testify to be the Son of God, Who lives and reigns with You in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God for ever and ever. Amen.

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TICKET RETURNS FOR THE PARISH

RAFFLE can be made through the collection basket, mailed to the parish office or given to Kathy Young. If you need more tickets, please contact the parish office. The next monthly drawing is February 2.

LOOKING FOR RESOURCES FOR YOUR FAMILY? Visit the Diocese of Erie

family website at http://www.eriercd.org/fam.html and discover why families always matter!

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THE PARISH FINANCE COUNCIL will meet on Monday, January 20 at 7:00pm in the Saint Hippolyte Parish Activities Room.

WINERY TOUR—Plans are underway for a trip to Hartford Hill Winery and Barrell 33 Restaurant near Warren, OH on February 29. The cost is \$25 for your seat on the motor coach leaving Our Lady of Lourdes at 12:30pm and Home Depot at 1:00pm. (please note the change in departure times) The bus will return around 8:00pm. Dinner will be at your own expense. Contact Mary Beth Coyle at 814-425-2502 or 814-350-6218 by January 25 to reserve your seat on the bus.

FRENCH **DINNER**—This annual dinner, sponsored by Le Nom du Pere Society, will be held on Saturday, February 15 at Saint Hippolyte The menu includes French Onion social hall. Soup, Salad, Chicken Cordon Blue with rice and mint peas, and Crème Brulee. Also included is bread and a glass of wine. Dinner is served on the hour at 5:00pm, 6:00pm and 7:00pm. The price remains at \$18.00 per person for this elegant, 4course meal. Reservations and payment must be made in advance and reservations will not be accepted after the February 5 deadline. reservations call Connie Molli at 967-3813.

OUR ANNUAL PARISH FAMILY RETREAT will be held on Sunday, March 29 at Our Lady of Lourdes presented by SENT Ministries from the Franciscan University of Steubenville. This retreat is for people of all ages and will include separate sessions for adults, Confirmation students, junior high students, elementary students, and babysitting for our younger parishioners will be available. Due to the retreat, the Sunday morning Mass schedule for this date only will be 8:30am at Saint Hippolyte and 10:30am at Our Lady of Lourdes. Those attending are asked to consider a donation of \$10 per person for the lunch, if they are able.

MARK YOUR CALENDAR... The 7th Annual 22:32 Men's Conference will be held on Saturday, February 29 at Our Lady of Peace Parish in Erie. The 6th Annual 1:38 Women's Conference will be held on Saturday, March 28 at Our Lady of Peace Parish in Erie. More information for either of these events can be found on the bulletin board or visit their websites: www.2232Men.com and www.138women.com

BLOOD DRIVE—On January 21 from 1:30pm to 6:30pm the American Red Cross will be at Faith Builders, Room 115, 28527 Guys Mills Road, Guys Mills PA. All presenting donors will receive an American Red Cross Reusable Tote Bag. Walk ins are welcome!

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FINDING OUR LOST SHEEP

The tax collectors and sinners were all drawing near to listen to him, but the Pharisees and scribes began to complain, saying, "This man welcomes sinners and eats with them." So to them he addressed this parable.

"What man among you having a hundred sheep and losing one of them would not leave the ninety-nine in the desert and go after the lost one until he finds it? And when he does find it, he sets it on his



shoulders with great joy and, upon his arrival home, he calls together his friends and neighbors and says to them, 'Rejoice with me because I have found my lost sheep.' I tell you, in just the same way there will be more joy in heaven over one sinner who repents than over ninety-nine righteous people who have no need of repentance."

Luke 15: 1-7

The parable of the Lost Sheep gives us direction for going out and finding the missing people who have strayed from our midst. Do not be afraid to be human and embrace those who have been absent from our community. Time heals and they may only need an invitation from you, a faithful Catholic, to return to our community. We don't need to be judgmental or self-righteous and turn people off, but be honest and show them that our life is a gift from God and we need to show God our gratitude. We all need encouragement and we need to get up after we have fallen down, and get up again and again.

When someone returns we can all rejoice with God because we have all become one in our community of believers. The best reason for returning to the church is in the Eucharist and receiving the real presence of Christ every week. As verse 7 in the above scripture states, there will be more joy in heaven over one who repents than over the ninety-nine who have no need for repentance. When approaching people go with your gut — God speaks to us through our gut. God says come to my house and we can hang out. We have no need to judge others or the church, we have all made mistakes and God will forgive those who repent and return to him joyfully.

As the song says: Go make a difference. We can make a difference. We are the hands of Christ reaching out to those in need, the face of God for all to see.

Now, go and make a difference in the world!!!

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