

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

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OUR LADY OF LOURDES

251 S. Franklin St., Cochranton, PA 16314

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

Confessions:
Saturday 4:30pm (May—Oct.)
Sunday 8:00am

*The Eighth Sunday
in Ordinary Time*

March 3, 2019

Weekly Liturgy Schedule

MONDAY, MARCH 4, SAINT CASIMIR

8:30am SH Jeanie Schmader (John & Fran Greathouse)

TUESDAY, MARCH 5, WEEKDAY

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 6, ASH WEDNESDAY

5:00pm OLL Ed Coyle (Bob & Kitty Jehn)
7:00pm SH Adam Mailliard (Mom, Dad, Nicole & Abby)

THURSDAY, MARCH 7, SAINTS PERPETUA and FELICITY

8:30am SH Living and Deceased Fathers

FRIDAY, MARCH 8, SAINT JOHN OF GOD

8:30am OLL Paul Kerchin (Nancy Musser)

SATURDAY, MARCH 9, SAINT FRANCES OF ROME

8:30am OLL Ray Causa (Mike & Helen Smith)

Anticipated Sunday Liturgy:

5:00pm SH Jane & Stanley Lipinski (Charlotte Prez)

SUNDAY, MARCH 10, FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT

8:30am OLL For the Parishioners
10:30am SH Roy DeMaison (Pat & Steve Ferry)

Read the parish bulletin online at www.sainthippolytechurch.com

HELPING HANDS

Coordinators:

Fran Greathouse..... 425-2549
Carole Jones..... 789-2881

Prayer Requests:

Bob & Denise Schoenfeldt 333-8464
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Visitation:

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

Emergency Home Care:

Ruth Jackard (Meals) 789-2085
Mary Beth Coyle (Meals) 425-2502
Chris & Shannon Ploski (Odd Jobs).... 967-4065
Dave Wolff (Odd Jobs)..... 573-6260
Mary Everitt (Respite Care)..... 853-0599

Transportation:

Jennifer Mitchell..... 827-3803
Bob Robinson (to church)..... 282-3673
Beth Bryan (errands) 671-3335

Services to the Bereaved:

Kay Hotchkiss (Mass) 425-3933
Mary Ann Francic (Mass)..... 724-452-4492
Kitty Jehn (Dinner)..... 425-8282
Cathy Kalinowski (Dinner) 425-2484
Rita Bogardus (Dinner) 789-2679
Joyce Tarr (Follow up) 789-4266

Elizabeth Ministry:

Joanne Froella..... 425-3645
Carol Barickman..... 789-3814

Ministry of Welcome:

Garold Molli 967-3813
Rosanne Chamberlain..... 374-4026

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
	9:45am	Lenten Small Group at OLL
	11:45am	Confessions at SH
Monday	9:00am	Lenten Small Group at SH
Tuesday	6:30pm	Lenten Small Group at OLL
	7:00pm	Choir at SH
	7:00pm	Lenten Small Group at Mattis home
Wednesday	8:00pm	Le Nom du Pere Society meeting at SH
Thursday	6:00pm	Confessions 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-8 at OLL
	9:45am	Lenten Small Group at OLL
	11:45am	Confessions at SH
	4:00pm	FF Grades 9-11 at SH

COMING EVENTS

March 11 Family Society meeting at OLL 7:00pm

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

TODAY:	Sir 27:4-7/1 Cor 15:54-58/Lk 6:39-45
MONDAY:	Sir 17:20-24/Mk 10:17-27
TUESDAY:	Sir 35:1-12/Mk 10:28-31
WEDNESDAY:	Jl 2:12-18/2 Cor 5:20—6:2/Mt 6:1-6, 16-18
THURSDAY:	Dt 30:15-20/Lk 9:22-25
FRIDAY:	Is 58:1-9a/Mt 9:14-15
SATURDAY:	Is 58:9b-14/Lk 5:27-32
SUNDAY:	Dt 26:4-10/Rom 10:8-13/Lk 4:1-13

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

March 4: David Farbotnik, Allan Hudock, Jordyn Ploski
March 5: Dutch Barickman, Paul Weagraff
March 6: Chris Honard
March 7: Steven Heme
March 8: Coletta Mitcham
March 9: Brayden Burnette, Lorna Waddell
March 10: Sandra Bowler

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY

March 4: Dave & Fran McClain
March 10: Marcus & Wanda Schmidt

QUESTION OF THE WEEK

Suggested text for faith sharing: Today's Gospel

Adults – We humans are vulnerable to sin, but we see the sins of others more easily than we recognize our own sins. Why does Jesus warn us not to judge others?

Youth – Jesus says that our words reveal what is in our hearts. How do your words and actions reveal what it truly is in your heart?

Children – Jesus teaches us to do good. What did you do this past week that was really good, kind or loving?

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SACRIFICIAL GIVING

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

	SH	OLL
Offertory last week:	\$1,369	\$1,089
envelopes used:	51	49
Building Fund last week:	\$ 398	\$ 190
envelopes used:	21	20

Catholic Services Appeal 2019:

Dio Assessment: \$27,485

of Gifts/Pledges: 58

Pledged: \$21,255 Received: \$10,020

Thanks for your generosity and dedication.

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

during the Lenten Season (which begins Wednesday) is offered on Monday, Wednesday, and Thursday at 8:00am at Saint Hippolyte and on Friday at 8:00am and 9:00am, and Saturday at 8:00am at Our Lady of Lourdes.

HELPING HANDS PRAYER: Into the depths of the human heart, O God, You alone can see; only in Your judgments do justice and mercy meet in perfect measure. Restrain us from passing judgment on our neighbor, that we may center our zeal instead on bearing a harvest of goodness from the abundance of our hearts. We ask this through our Lord Jesus Christ, Your Son, Who lives and reigns with You in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God for ever and ever. Amen.

TICKET RETURNS FOR THE PARISH RAFFLE can be made via the collection basket, mailed to the parish office or given to Kathy Young. Our next monthly drawing is today!

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 weekend for women will be Women's #254, March 14-17. The next Cursillo weekend for men will be Men's #248, May 16-19.



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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.

THANK YOU to all who made a pledge and/or gift to the Catholic Services Appeal last weekend. If you have not yet made a commitment, it is not too late. Just drop your pledge in an envelope marked "CSA" in the collection basket or mail it to the parish office. Your generosity is appreciated.

PLEASE NOTE that there are additional times for daily Mass and Adoration during the Season of Lent in our parish. Mass and Adoration are available every day of the week, except Tuesday. Please consult the daily Mass schedule which is posted on the front of the bulletin.

ASH WEDNESDAY Masses will be celebrated on Wednesday, March 6th at 5:00pm at Our Lady of Lourdes and at 7:00pm at Saint Hippolyte.

LE NOM DU PERE SOCIETY will meet on Wednesday, March 6th at 8:00pm at Saint Hippolyte.

SOUP AND BREAD MEALS will again be held in the parish during Lent on Wednesdays, alternating between our two churches. Please be sure to sign the list on the bulletin board to volunteer to bring soup and/or bread.

IT'S NOT TOO LATE TO JOIN A LENTEN SMALL GROUP. The sign-up sheets are posted in the vestibule/gathering space at each church OR call the parish office (814-789-2022) for more information.

LENTEN FISH DINNERS are available on the Fridays of Lent, through April 12 at these locations:

- ♦ Saint Brigid Church, Meadville from 4:30-6:30pm. Icelandic Haddock (baked or fried) \$9, Macaroni & Cheese \$4.50 or Grilled Cheese Dinner \$6. Additional \$1.50 for ice cream.
- ♦ Saint Philip Social Hall, Linesville from 4:00-7:00pm. Cod (baked or fried) Adults \$10, Seniors \$9, Children 6-10 \$5, free to children age 5 and younger

THIS YEAR WE WILL BE FOCUSING ON THE SPIRITUAL WORKS OF MERCY DURING LENT. Each week we will feature one and provide you with some practical suggestions for living these spiritual works.

COUNSELING THE DOUBTFUL

Everyone has moments of doubt in their faith journey. Nevertheless, we should always remember that Christ is the Way, the Truth, and the Life and turn to Him along our way.

- Has someone asked you for advice? Orient your response to Christ, Who is the Way, the Truth, and the Life
- Follow Christ with the witness of your life so that others may see God's love revealed in your actions
- Accompany a friend who is struggling with believing to join a parish group for service or faith formation, share a book you found useful in dealing with your friend's faith concern, and worship at Sunday Mass
- Pray for someone you know who is making a big life decision

WHOLE COMMUNITY CATECHESIS



Ash Wednesday
— Lent Begins

The 2019 Season of Lent officially begins with Ash Wednesday on March 6, which is 46 days before Easter Sunday. Lent is a 40 day season (not counting the Sundays) marked by repentance, fasting, reflection, and almsgiving. The 40 days represents Christ's time of temptation in the wilderness, where he fasted and where Satan tempted him. Lent asks believers to set aside a time each year for similar fasting, and focusing on Christ's life, ministry, sacrifice and resurrection.

During Mass on Ash Wednesday the priest will share a sermon that is penitential and reflective on the meaning of Lent. During the Mass ashes are placed on the forehead of those in attendance to remind us to repent and fast for the 40 days.

Where do the ashes come from? The ashes usually come from burning the palm from the previous Palm Sunday. The ashes of this prayerful day symbolize two main things: death and repentance. Ashes represent dust and when a human corpse decomposes, it returns to ashes or dust. When we come forward for our ashes we are saying we are sorry for our sins and that we want the Season of Lent to correct our faults, purify our hearts, control our desires and grow in holiness so we can celebrate Easter with great joy.

We, as parishioners of St. Hippolyte and Our Lady of Lourdes, are offered many ways to follow the Lenten Season: through our small sharing groups, by attending the Stations of the Cross on Wednesday evenings following our soup and bread meal, by attending our family retreat on March 24th at St. Hippolyte Church, by using the *Little Black Book*, by participating in *Operation Rice Bowl*, by attending the Parish Lenten Penance Service, by participating in our Seder Meal on Palm Sunday at Our Lady of Lourdes. Author and well-known speaker Matthew Kelly offers a daily Lenten reflection which is available on the internet by visiting the website www.BestLentEver.com.

How will you prepare for Easter?

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MARCH 2019

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Our Lady of Lourdes

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NOTICE

The season of Lent begins this year on Ash Wednesday, March 6, 2019 and concludes when the Paschal Triduum of the Passion, Death, and Resurrection of the Lord begins at the start of the Evening Mass of the Lord's Supper on Holy Thursday evening, April 18, 2019.

The following regulations are promulgated and binding for all Latin Rite Catholics in the Diocese of Erie for Lent and the Paschal Triduum, 2019. Eastern Rite Catholics who may be attending Latin Rite parishes have their own proper regulations and should consult their own eparchy or parish.

1. Traditional Lenten practices of **PRAYER, FASTING, and ALMSGIVING**, and other forms of self-denial, are recommended most warmly by the Church. Daily Mass is particularly encouraged.
2. **ASH WEDNESDAY, ALL FRIDAYS IN LENT, and GOOD FRIDAY** are days of **abstinence** from eating meat for those 14 years of age and older.
3. **ASH WEDNESDAY AND GOOD FRIDAY** are also days of **fasting** for those ages 18 to 58 inclusive. *(On these days, those bound by the law of fasting may take one full meal. Two smaller meals, sufficient to maintain strength according to one's needs, are also permitted. Eating between meals is not permitted, but liquids including milk and fruit juices are allowed. When health or work is seriously affected, the law does not oblige.)*
4. On **HOLY THURSDAY**, no celebration of the Mass is to begin anywhere in the diocese earlier than 4:30 p.m. without the express approval of Bishop Persico.
5. Although it does not include the Liturgy of the Eucharist, by its very nature the **GOOD FRIDAY** service is celebrated by a priest only.
6. All celebrations of the **EASTER VIGIL** are to begin *after nightfall* (which is defined as approximately one hour after local sunset.) Nightfall is about 9:00 pm this year. Thus, all Easter Vigil celebrations in the Diocese of Erie this year are to begin at 9:00 pm or later. However, where necessary, Bishop Persico will permit the Vigil to begin as early as 8:30 pm. Any start time earlier than 8:30 pm must receive express approval from the Bishop.

By order of the Most Reverend Bishop
January 14, 2019

Sincerely,
Christopher J. Singer
The Rev. Christopher J. Singer, JCL
Chancellor