

## 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

## *Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time*

*June 16, 2024*

## OUR LADY OF LOURDES CHURCH

251 S. Franklin St., Cochran, PA 16314  
(GPS only; send mail to the parish office)

Thursday 6:00pm - Adoration  
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.

### Pastor

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.

### Parish Office

25997 State Highway 27, Guys Mills, PA 16327

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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, JUNE 17, WEEKDAY

8:30am SH Prayer Service and Rosary

### TUESDAY, JUNE 18, WEEKDAY

### WEDNESDAY, JUNE 19, SAINT ROMUALD

### THURSDAY, JUNE 20, WEEKDAY

### FRIDAY, JUNE 21, SAINT ALOYSIUS GONZAGA

8:30am OLL Adoration and Rosary

### SATURDAY, JUNE 22, SAINT PAULINUS OF NOLA;

SAINTS JOHN FISCHER and THOMAS MORE

### SUNDAY, JUNE 23, TWELFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

11:00am SH Katie Mattis (Dan & Lana Mesley)

Read our parish bulletin online at  
[www.sainthippolytechurch.com](http://www.sainthippolytechurch.com)  
and The Epiphany of the Lord parish bulletin at  
[www.epiphanymeadville.org](http://www.epiphanymeadville.org)

## 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, at 814-789-2022

**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.

**ANONING 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		HAPPY FATHER'S DAY
Monday	8:30am	Prayer and Rosary at SH
	9:15am	Small Group Bible Study at SH
Friday	8:30am	Adoration and Rosary at OLL
Sunday	12:00pm	Stained Glass Window Restoration Committee meeting at SH

## COMING EVENTS

June 30 Second Collection: Peter's Pence  
July 28 Annual Frenchtown Ham or Chicken Dinner at SH

## READINGS FOR THE WEEK

TODAY:	Ez 17:22-24/2 Cor 5:6-10/Mk 4:26-34
MONDAY:	1 Kgs 21:1-16/Mt 5:38-42
TUESDAY:	1 Kgs 21:17-29/Mt 5:43-48
WEDNESDAY:	2 Kgs 2:1, 6-14/Mt 6:1-6, 16-18
THURSDAY:	Sir 48:1-14/Mt 6:7-15
FRIDAY:	2 Kgs 11:1-4, 9-18, 20/Mt 6:19-23
SATURDAY:	2 Chr 24:17-25/Mt 6:24-34
SUNDAY:	Jb 38:1, 8-11/2 Cor 5:14-17/Mk 4:35-41

## HAPPY BIRTHDAY

June 17: Brandon Smith  
June 18: Amy Kirk, Mike Schmitt, Savannah Smith, Abe Young  
June 20: Jack Blatnick  
June 21: Mary Vittorio, Jim Wentworth  
June 22: Eleanor Kalinowski  
June 23: David Schwartz

## HAPPY ANNIVERSARY

June 18: David & Kathy Easley; Cory & Monika Root  
June 19: Corey & Brittany Hamilton  
June 20: Jack & Carole Jones

## QUESTION OF THE WEEK

*Suggested text for faith sharing: Today's Second Reading*

**Adults** – When do you find it hardest to have faith? Must you “see” answered prayer, or can you peacefully accept God's will?

**Youth** – Do you pray and ask for faith? How do you work on building your faith?

**Children** – Have you ever had to walk in the dark with no light? How is that like walking by faith and not by sight? What do you have to do to keep going in the dark?

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**THE SANCTUARY CANDLE** is burning this week at Saint Hippolyte Church in memory of Paul Mercier as requested by the family.

## SACRIFICIAL GIVING

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

	SH	OLL
Offertory last week:	\$1,768	\$ 209
envelopes used:	41	7
Building Fund last week:	\$ 392	\$ 25
envelopes used:	24	3

### Catholic Services Appeal 2024:

Diocesan Assessment: \$29,034

# of Gifts/Pledges: 61

Pledged: \$26,255 Received: \$17,285

*Thanks for your generosity and dedication.*

**HELPING HANDS PRAYER** From Your bountiful hand, O God, You have sown generously in our hearts the seed of Your truth and Your grace. May we welcome with humility and confidence what You sow in the soil of our lives and cultivate its growth with the patience the gospel teaches, trusting completely and knowing full well that peace and justice increase in this world every time Your Word bears fruit in our lives. 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.

## 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 final monthly drawing is on July 7.

## 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. **The next Cursillo for Men** will be Men's #254, June 21-23 at St. Mary Church (Elk County). **The next Cursillo for Women** is Women's #262, August 9-11 at Our Lady of Mercy Church in Harborcreek (Crawford County). Openings are still available for both weekends; call Carl and Kay or the parish office for more information.

## LOOKING FOR RESOURCES FOR YOUR FAMILY?

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



## HAPPY FATHER'S DAY

**Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament** is held every Friday morning at 8:30am at Our Lady of Lourdes. All are welcome!

**Please keep in your prayers** our diocesan priests and deacons who will be participating in Emmaus this week. May they enjoy their time together for relaxation, education and spiritual growth.

**Child Protection and Creating Safe Environments: Stay Safe While Gaming Online.** Online gaming can be lots of fun and pretty cool to compete against people from every corner of the world. Gaming can also expose your child to dangers such as cyber bullying, online harassment, and online predators. Here are some helpful tips to teach your children to ensure they are being safe while gaming. 1. Never give your identity. When creating an account, use a nickname. When creating an avatar, don't use your real picture. 2. Do not give out any personal information including phone numbers, addresses, where you go to school, and especially your age. Predators pretend to be teenagers and will talk to your child until your child feels they are safe to talk to about personal stuff. 3. Have your child mute conversations. People say mean things to one another and it's best to prevent the risk of bullying or trash talking online. 4. Block anyone who makes you feel uncomfortable. 5. Set appropriate parental controls and use parental controls to facilitate online safety and time management. [www.eriecd.org/childprotection/](http://www.eriecd.org/childprotection/)



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When Jesus sent out His disciples, He gave them authority to trample on snakes and overcome the power of the enemy. What is this authority we have as baptized Catholics? "What is this authority that our Father imposes on us? Is it meant to subjugate us, put us in our place? Quite the opposite. Left to our own devices, we underestimate ourselves. God steps in to encourage us, to remind us that we can be holy. His is the dominion of love. We shrink from this love and mercy because at heart we know we don't deserve it. We feel unworthy.... But God says the opposite. By his divine initiative, and not by our own merit, we have been cleansed, and now we can lead lives holy and pleasing to God, full of love for our neighbor. It is God's authority that says, "Reject me if you want. But if you accept me, you must believe certain things. Believe that I forgive you. Believe that I love you. Do not be ashamed to come into my presence. Believe that you can be holy, that your relations with others can be governed by sacrificial love. There are other things you must not do, because they compromise your dignity as my children. These things are called sin. If we are to be united, then I command you to be happy. Love yourself. Love others. Remain in my love." This is the teaching we must pass on, without any hesitation, if we are to teach with authority."

[www.catholic.com/magazine/print-edition/teaching-with-authority](http://www.catholic.com/magazine/print-edition/teaching-with-authority)

## WHOLE COMMUNITY CATECHESIS ORDINARY TIME

Ordinary time, the longest season of the Church year, fills the weeks that do not celebrate a specific aspect of the mystery of Christ (*Universal Norms on the Liturgical Year and the General Roman Calendar*, 43). It's the no-particular-reason season. Christmas Time honors the birth of Christ. Easter Time rejoices in the Resurrection. Ordinary Time is devoted to the mystery of Christ in all its aspects.

The number of the weeks of Ordinary Time replaces the old counting of weeks "after Epiphany" and "after Pentecost." The old calendar suggested that Pentecost ran for six months. The new calendar gives Pentecost a day. Then we return to Ordinary Time.

At first glance, the principles of Ordinary Time seem basic enough. Start counting the weeks after Christmas Time. Break for Lent and Easter. Resume after Pentecost and keep counting until Advent. Basically, that's how it works. But we have a few quirks.

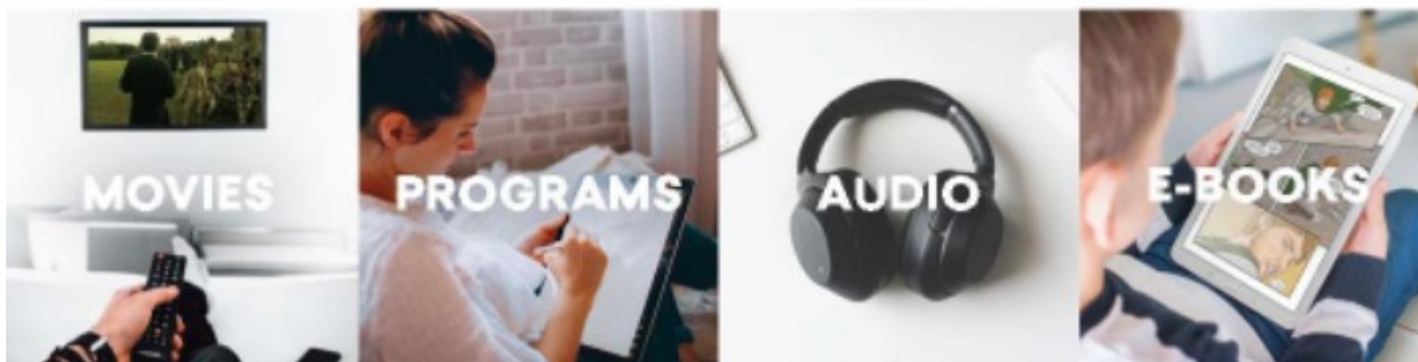
For example, there is no "First Sunday in Ordinary Time"; however, there is a first week. Usually Christmas Time ends on a Sunday with the Baptism of the Lord. The lectionary also calls it the First Sunday in Ordinary Time, but it is part of Christmas Time. (Some years the Baptism of the Lord falls on a Monday, but that's another story.) Ordinary Time gets underway on a weekday. When the next Sunday rolls around, we start week two.

On the Tuesday before Ash Wednesday, we see the last of Ordinary Time until after Pentecost. Even then, it emerges only on weekdays. Trinity Sunday always follows Pentecost Sunday, and the Solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood of the Lord comes the next Sunday in the United States. (In countries where this solemnity is a holyday, it falls on a Thursday.) Therefore, when the numbered Sundays in Ordinary Time return in summer, we start out a little higher than where we left off.

Sometimes we skip one or two entire weeks of Ordinary Time during the Easter break. We want to close the Sundays of the year with Christ the King, one week before Advent. Christ the King always falls on the Thirty-Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time. So we determine the week number after Pentecost not based on where we left off before Lent, but by counting backwards from Christ the King. One or two weeks may disappear, but Ordinary Time still serves the complete mystery of Christ.

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**SUNDAY, JULY 28, 2024**

**SAINT HIPPOLYTE CHURCH**

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GPS: 26012 North Frenchtown Road, Guys Mills PA

Dinners Served 12:30—4:30(or sold out)

**Menu:**

½ BBQ Chicken or Ham  
Mashed Potatoes, Gravy,  
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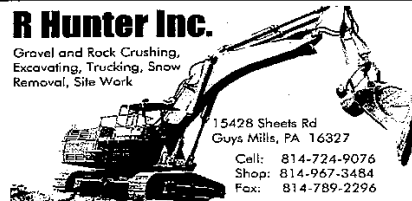
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