

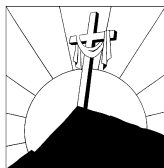
# SAINT HIPPOLYTE CHURCH

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 Seventh Sunday of Easter May 12, 2024*

# OUR LADY OF LOURDES CHURCH

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

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

Phone: (814) 789-2022 Fax: 814-789-2025

Email: [office@sainthippolytechurch.com](mailto:office@sainthippolytechurch.com)

[www.sainthippolytechurch.com](http://www.sainthippolytechurch.com)

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, MAY 13, OUR LADY OF FATIMA

8:30am SH Prayer Service and Rosary

### TUESDAY, MAY 14, SAINT MATTHIAS

### WEDNESDAY, MAY 15, SAINT ISIDORE

### THURSDAY, MAY 16, EASTER WEEKDAY

### FRIDAY, MAY 17, EASTER WEEKDAY

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

### SATURDAY, MAY 18, SAINT JOHN I

### SUNDAY, MAY 19, PENTECOST

11:00am SH Clara Foster (Joyce Tarr)

Read the parish bulletin online at  
[www.sainthippolytechurch.com](http://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	HAPPY MOTHERS DAY!
Monday	8:30am Prayer and Rosary at SH 9:15am Small Group Bible Study at SH 6:00pm Family Society meeting at OLL
Wednesday	7:00pm Choir at SH
Friday	8:30am Adoration and Rosary at OLL
Sunday	Pentecost Sunday—Wear red today!

## COMING EVENTS

May 12-13-14	Parish Mission at Saint Agatha Church, Meadville
May 23	Pre-Baptism Class for Parents at SH 6:30pm

## READINGS FOR THE WEEK

TODAY:	Acts 1:15-17, 20a, 20c-26/1 Jn 4:11-16/Jn 17:11b-19
MONDAY:	Acts 19:1-8/Jn 16:29-33
TUESDAY:	Acts 1:15-17, 20-26/Jn 15:9-17
WEDNESDAY:	Acts 20:28-38/Jn 17:11b-19
THURSDAY:	Acts 22:30; 23:6-11/Jn 17:20-26
FRIDAY:	Acts 25:13b-21/Jn 21:15-19
SATURDAY:	Acts 28:16-20/30-31/Jn 21:20-25
SUNDAY:	Acts 2:1-11/1 Cor 12:3b-7, 12-13 or Gal 5:16-25/ Jn 20:19-23 or Jn 15:26-27; 16:12-15

## HAPPY BIRTHDAY

May 13: Dottie Farbotnik, Liam Gordon, Fran Greathouse  
May 16: Gabrielle Pierce, Bob Steinbeck  
May 17: Connie Kerchin, Judy Parker, Bob Schoenfeldt  
May 18: Payton Hamilton, Natalie Huddleson  
May 19: Beau Borkovich, Jacob Dashner, Brinley Ritchey

## HAPPY ANNIVERSARY

May 15: Kyle & Pam Pratt  
May 16: John & Tricia McKellop  
May 19: Steve & Pat Ferry

## QUESTION OF THE WEEK

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

**Adults** – Share about one person in your life with whom the command to love has become a reality: a parent, spouse, friend, or colleague—or even a stranger.

**Youth** – How would you describe the kind of love that Jesus modeled?

**Children** – Whom do you love? Who loves you? How do you show your love?

[lifelongcatechesis.osv.com](http://lifelongcatechesis.osv.com)

**THE SANCTUARY CANDLE** is burning this week at Saint Hippolyte Church in memory of Donald Mailliard as requested by his Kids and at Our Lady of Lourdes Church in memory of Ed Coyle as requested by Mary Beth Coyle.

## SACRIFICIAL GIVING

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

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Offertory last week:	\$2,041	\$ 890
envelopes used:	47	22
Building Fund last week:	\$ 360	\$ 130
envelopes used:	23	5

### Catholic Services Appeal 2024:

Diocesan Assessment: \$29,034

# of Gifts/Pledges: 61

Pledged: \$26,255 Received: \$16,455

*Thanks for your generosity and dedication.*

**HELPING HANDS PRAYER** O God, by Whose name we are protected, sanctify in truth the disciples gathered by Jesus to be Your people in the world. Pour out Your Spirit every day, that, remaining in this world but not belonging to it, we may bear witness to Your own abiding love, made known to us in our Savior Jesus Christ, 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 on June 2. **Congratulations to our May winner: #2237 Tim Parulski, Meadville**

**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](http://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.

**All are welcome to attend a parish mission which begins tonight** and continues Tuesday and Wednesday at St. Agatha Church of the Epiphany of the Lord Parish, 353 Pine St., Meadville. Father Ben Daghir will speak on "Prayer: The Missing Ingredient in our Spiritual Lives." The rosary will be prayed at 6:00pm with the main talk at 6:30pm. Tuesday evening will include a Mass followed by an opportunity for individual prayer. Childcare is available in Seton's gym. Punch and cookie social afterward in St. Agatha Center each evening.

**Dress code reminder...**those who are scheduled to serve as altar server, lector, extraordinary minister of holy communion, usher, and hospitality minister should always be dressed in their Sunday best (dress pants/slacks, dress shirt, etc.; no jeans and t-shirts, please) on the dates when you are scheduled. We understand that might not be possible if you are filling in at the last minute for someone else. Thank you for your cooperation.



**Ham or Chicken Dinner News:** Mark your calendar for July 28. The dinner will be here before you know it!

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 ASAP at 814-350-6218 to volunteer or to request a change.

**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.



**Thank you** to our parishioners who continue volunteering their time and talents to clean at Saint Hippolyte Church. Your devotion is greatly appreciated

by your fellow parishioners. If your family or group of friends would like to volunteer to clean for a month (or even a week or two) and are not scheduled yet, please contact Dani Wagner (814-671-4323) for the open dates for the remainder of this year.



The priest, configured to Jesus by his sacred ordination, teaches the faithful, like the Lord did, to hear the voice of the Spirit, to perceive the Kingdom of God in their midst, and to overcome the paralysis of the heart brought on by sin and sadness. It is the priest's role to be the "healer of broken minds and hearts."

[www.ncregister.com/blog/bishop-robert-barron](http://www.ncregister.com/blog/bishop-robert-barron)

## THANK YOU

Thank you to all of our Faith Formation Catechists for the wonderful year of sharing your faith with our youth. Thank you: Debbie Furry, Jen Gordon, Amy Mercier, Mary Everett, Kathy Young, Pat and Steve Ferry, Gabrielle Pierce, David Paul and Chris Bornemann. Well done good and faithful servants!

On March 6<sup>th</sup> we had eleven students who were Confirmed by Bishop Persico, and on April 28<sup>th</sup> we had five third grade students receive First Holy Communion. Congratulations!

On March 29<sup>th</sup> at the Easter Vigil, Zach Jerman was received into the Catholic Church through the RCIA program, led by Carole & Jack Jones and Carl & Kay Hotchkiss.

Thank you to all of our parents who brought their children for Faith Formation classes, furthering in them that which you have begun by your example and teaching. Last Sunday, which was our last week of Faith Formation, we had perfect attendance in all grades. That is certainly something to celebrate!

We will continue with our Faith Formation on September 15<sup>th</sup>, 2024. Have a great summer; we hope that we will see you at our Sunday Masses.

## UPCOMING OPPORTUNITIES FOR OUR STUDENTS:

**High School Girls in grades 8-11** are invited to participate in a book study *Reveal the Gift, Living the Feminine Genius* (Lisa Cotter); Tuesdays, June 11-August 27. Book will be provided. Sign up by May 31 at [epiphanymeadville.org/youth-ministry](http://epiphanymeadville.org/youth-ministry)

**Quo Vadis Days is a four-day camp for Catholic young men in grades 9-12 and early college** who are considering the priesthood or seminary formation, or who are wondering if God is calling them to a religious vocation. *Quo Vadis* Days will be held June 23-26, at St. Mark Seminary in Erie. For more information, visit [www.erievocations.org](http://www.erievocations.org) or contact Father Scott Jabo, rector, 814-824-1198 or [SWJabo@eriercd.org](mailto:SWJabo@eriercd.org)

**All students in grades Pre-K through 5** are invited to attend a **Catholic Vacation Bible School** at St. Brigid Center in Meadville July 22-26, 5:30-8:30pm. Sign up at [www.epiphanymeadville.org/vbs](http://www.epiphanymeadville.org/vbs)



April 17, 2024

Dear brothers and sisters in Christ:

Ever since our Lord's admonition to feed the hungry, clothe the naked, and shelter the homeless, wherever and whomever they may be, the Church has been reaching out to those in need. Today I would like to ask you to join me, as members of the worldwide Catholic family, in helping the Church to continue to provide for our needy brothers and sisters throughout the world by giving generously to the **International Needs Collection** to be taken up in the Diocese of Erie the weekend of May 18-19.

This annual collection offers a concrete way for us to reach out to those who live in lands and cultures far from our own. It is a combination of three collections:

- The **Collection for the Church in Central and Eastern Europe** which helps build churches; train and educate seminarians, clergy, and lay leaders; publish Catholic newspapers; support orphanages; and support evangelization among children, youth, and adults;
- The **Catholic Relief Services Collection** which helps all people, regardless of race, creed, or nation, providing for the victims of war and natural disasters, aiding the Church suffering under persecution, alleviating poverty, and educating the poor; and
- The **Support for the Church in Africa** collection, which provides for the rapidly growing and vibrant Church on that continent.

Please give generously to the International Needs Collection on May 18-19 and, just as importantly, please include those in need in your prayers. Be assured of my prayers for you and your families and parishes.

Sincerely yours in Christ,

*+Lawrence T. Persico*

The Most Reverend Lawrence T. Persico, JCL  
Bishop of Erie





St. James Haven's Ongoing Fundraiser:

## Community Drive-thru Dinner



**Thursday, May 16**  
**3PM - 6PM**



★ **Meatloaf, Potato & Carrot Dinner** ★

**Cost:**  
**DONATION**

On the third Thursday of each month, St. James Haven hosts a dinner, "Drive-Thru Style" at their shelter located at 779 North Main St., Meadville, PA.

**Cost:**  
**DONATION**

All you have to do is "drive-thru", let us know what you want, and one of our volunteers will bring it out to you!!

**A huge THANK YOU to this month's sponsor!**



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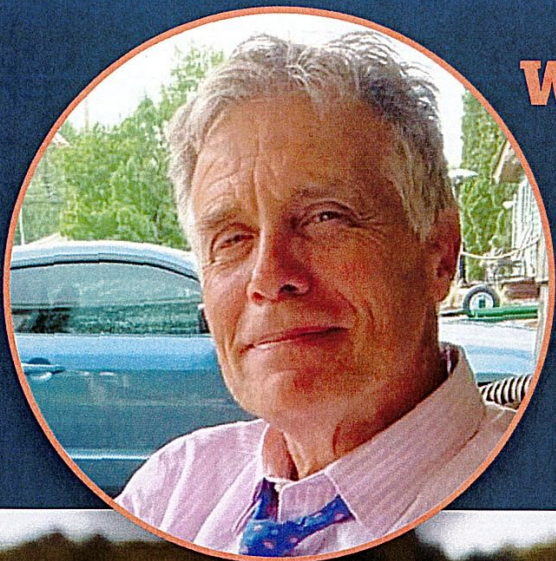
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of the proceeds are used towards the ongoing operation of St. James Haven.

**Interested in becoming a sponsor? Give Samantha a call!**

**(814) 337-6082**





# Walter Lasch Memorial **Golf Outing**

**Saturday, June 15th**

**Oakland Beach Golf Course**

**50/50**

**Drawing &  
Other  
Games**

**Shotgun starts at 8:00 a.m.**

**Arrive at 7:00 a.m.**

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**\$85 per golfer**

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