

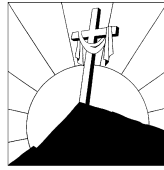
SAINT HIPPOLYTE CHURCH

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

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

Confessions:

First Sunday of the Month after Mass
or by appointment



The Fourth Sunday of Easter May 11, 2025

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

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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, MAY 12,

SAINTS NEREUS and ACHILLEUS; SAINT PANCRAS
8:30am SH Adoration and Rosary

TUESDAY, MAY 13, OUR LADY OF FATIMA

WEDNESDAY, MAY 14, SAINT MATTHIAS

THURSDAY, MAY 15, SAINT ISIDORE

FRIDAY, MAY 16, EASTER WEEKDAY

8:30am OLL Adoration and Rosary

SATURDAY, MAY 17, EASTER WEEKDAY

SUNDAY, MAY 18, FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

11:00am SH Andy & Katie Mattis (Tom & Mary Lou Mattis)

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

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 immediately following Sunday Mass on the first Sunday of the month. 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.

Sacramental Emergency: 814-350-7676

EVENTS THIS WEEK

Today	9:00am	Monthly Breakfast at OLL
	10:30am	Rosary at SH Second Collection: Good Shepherd
Monday	8:30am	Adoration and Rosary at SH
	9:30am	Small Group Bible Study at SH
	6:00pm	Family Society meeting at OLL
Wednesday	6:00pm	H/C Dinner Planning meeting at SH
	7:00pm	Choir at SH
Friday	8:30am	Adoration and Rosary at OLL
Sunday	10:30am	Rosary at SH
	12:00pm	Pre-Baptism Class for Parents at SH

COMING EVENTS

May 23 Priesthood Ordination at St. Peter Cathedral 7:00pm
Brandon Feikles and Michael Scanga
Pray for Vocations

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

TODAY:	Acts 13:14, 43-52/Rv 7:9, 14b-17/Jn 10:27-30
MONDAY:	Acts 11:1-18/Jn 10:1-10
TUESDAY:	Acts 11:19-26/Jn 10:22-30
WEDNESDAY:	Acts 1:15-17, 20-26/Jn 15:9-17
THURSDAY:	Acts 13:13-25/Jn 13:16-20
FRIDAY:	Acts 13:26-33/Jn 14:1-6
SATURDAY:	Acts 13:44-52/Jn 14:7-14
SUNDAY:	Acts 14:21-27/Rv 21:1-5a/Jn 13:31-33a, 34-35

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

May 12: Mike Prenatt
May 13: Dorothy 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

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY

May 15: Kyle & Pam Pratt
May 16: John & Tricia McKellop

QUESTION OF THE WEEK

Suggested text for faith sharing: Today's Gospel

Adults – What is your experience of being a follower of Christ, of being cared for and guarded with Him as shepherd?

Youth – Jesus said “My sheep hear my voice; I know them, and they follow me.” How does Jesus speak to you? What new path is He asking of you?

Children – Jesus promises to guard us like a shepherd does the sheep. How do you experience His loving care in your life?

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SACRIFICIAL GIVING

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

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Offertory last week:	\$1,252	\$ 670
envelopes used:	36	16
Building Fund last week:	\$ 326	\$ 55
envelopes used:	19	5

Catholic Services Appeal 2025:

Diocesan Assessment: \$28,259

Pledges/Gifts: 63

Pledged: \$26,890 Received: \$17,800

Thanks for your generosity and dedication.

HELPING HANDS PRAYER O God, the fountain of joy and of peace, into the hands of your risen Son You have entrusted the destinies of peoples and of nations. Sustain us with the power of Your Spirit, that, amid the unceasing changes of life in this world, we may never become separated from Christ our Good Shepherd, Who guides us to springs of life-giving water. 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 next monthly drawing will be held on June 1. **Congratulations to our May winner: #1920 Jeff Mattis, 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 or the parish office.

LOOKING FOR RESOURCES FOR YOUR FAMILY?

Discover why families always matter at:

<http://www.eriecd.org/fam.htm>



LIKE US ON FACEBOOK:

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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 memory of Daniel and David McCain as requested by Joan McCain.

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 the parish office at 814-789-2022. Donation: \$10.

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament is held at 8:30am on Monday mornings at Saint Hippolyte and Friday mornings at Our Lady of Lourdes.

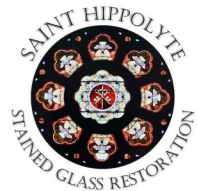
It's time to update our parish prayer chain. For your name or the named of a loved one to remain on OR be added to the next prayer chain, please contact Julie Hovis (814-657-3265) or Denise and Bob Schoenfeldt (814-333-8464) by Thursday, May 15.

A Pre-Baptism Program for parents who are anticipating the baptism of their child will be held on Sunday, May 18 following the 11:00am Mass at Saint Hippolyte. Attendance at this program is required for first time parents. Godparents are also welcome to attend. Please contact Joyce Tarr at 814-671-1009 for more information.

Congratulations to our parishioners who received the Sacrament of Confirmation on May 1: Brayden Gordon and Emma Sutton. Brayden and Emma will be honored (along with our high school graduates: Nicholas Knapka, Avery Palotas, and Zayne Smith) at a reception on Sunday, June 29 following our 11:00am Mass.

Thank you to all who supported our Indoor Garage Sale. It was a fantastic year! We are grateful for our donors, our workers, and our shoppers. Special thanks to Paul Mercier II and Kim Ferguson, our co-chairpersons for the garage sale, as well as Debbie Furry, kitchen chairperson. Mark your calendar for next year's sale: April 30, May 1-2

In anticipation of Memorial Day, Steve Ferry will be cleaning cemetery headstones through the month of May. Contact Steve at 814-333-8441 for more information and/or to arrange a cleaning at any of the local cemeteries. All proceeds benefit the Stained Glass Window Restoration. Flyers are available in the vestibule for this project.



The SGW committee is happy to report that the recent Craft Show had a profit of \$1750.92! A huge shoutout and Thank You to Jen Gordon who organized this successful event! Thank you to everyone who supported this event in any way - We appreciate you!



Mary, Queen of the Eucharist, I place my heart in your Immaculate Heart. Purify it and enthrone Jesus there, so that I may be, like you, a living tabernacle of His mercy, a living monstrance, radiating His love to all I meet.

Ham or Chicken Dinner News: **This year's dinner will be held on Sunday, July 27!** Now is the time to request changes to your assignment or to volunteer if you did not work last year. Please contact Mary Beth Coyle at 814-350-6218 no later than June 1 to request changes to the worker schedule or to volunteer. We need the help of all parishioners; there is something for everyone! **We are especially in need of volunteers for the early morning crew to clean and pre-cook the chicken.** This shift starts around 5am and is usually finished around 11am. The early bird gets the worm! Winner, Winner, Chicken Dinner! Please call Mary Beth or the parish office to volunteer.

The Knights of Columbus in Erie and Crawford Counties are conducting their 4th annual Baby Bottle Fundraiser. Your charitable donations will continue to support the Pregnancy Center of Meadville (PCOM) and Erie's Women's Care Center in their efforts to provide support to mothers and fathers and their preborn babies both before and after the child's birth. Please take a baby bottle home and fill it with spare change, cash or checks (payable to Knights of Columbus). The bottles should be returned by June 15, Father's Day. We thank you in advance for your kind generosity, and pray you will once again join us in our continuing efforts in saving the lives of unborn children. God Bless!

Villa Maria-thon 5K Run and 2-Mile Walk Villa Maria Education & Spirituality Center will sponsor its 15th annual Villa Maria-thon 5K Run and 2-Mile Walk on Saturday, June 7, 2025 at 9 am at Villa Maria Community Center in Villa Maria, PA. The event includes activities for the entire family! Go to vmesc.org for registration and additional information. All proceeds from this event benefit the center's youth and adult programs.

An Election Day Luncheon and Bake Sale will be held at East Mead Fire Hall (23876 State Highway 27) on May 20 from 11:00am until 7:00pm. \$10 for your choice of homemade soup and hot sandwich. Come out and support the East Mead Auxiliary, and don't forget to vote!



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