

# 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

## *Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time*

*July 13, 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

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, JULY 14, SAINT KATERI TEKAKWITHA  
8:30am SH Adoration and Rosary

TUESDAY, JULY 15, SAINT BONAVENTURE

WEDNESDAY, JULY 16, OUR LADY OF MOUNT CARMEL

THURSDAY, JULY 17, WEEKDAY

FRIDAY, JULY 18, SAINT CAMILLUS de LELLIS  
8:30am OLL Adoration and Rosary

SATURDAY, JULY 19, WEEKDAY

SUNDAY, JULY 20, SIXTEENTH SUNDY IN ORDINARY TIME  
11:00am SH For the living and deceased members of  
Saint Hippolyte and The Epiphany of the Lord Parishes

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

**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 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 Breakfast at OLL  
10:30am Rosary at SH  
Monday 8:30am Adoration and Rosary at SH  
9:30am Small Group Bible Study at SH  
6:00pm Family Society meeting at OLL  
Friday 8:30am Adoration and Rosary at OLL  
Sunday 10:30am Rosary at SH  
Second Collection: National Needs

## COMING EVENTS

July 21 Ham/Chicken Dinner Set-up at SH 6:00pm

## READINGS FOR THE WEEK

TODAY: Dt 30:10-14/Col 1:15-20/Lk 10:25-37  
MONDAY: Ex 1:8-14, 22/Mt 10:34—11:1  
TUESDAY: Ex 2:1-15a/Mt 11:20-24  
WEDNESDAY: Ex 3:1-6, 9-12/Mt 11:25-27  
THURSDAY: Ex 3:13-20/Mt 11:28-30  
FRIDAY: Ex 11:10—12:14/Mt 12:1-8  
SATURDAY: Ex 12:37-42/Mt 12:14-21  
SUNDAY: Gn 18:1-10a/Col 1:24-28/Lk 10:38-42

## HAPPY BIRTHDAY

July 14: Madeline Carless, Desiree Wagner  
July 15: Josh Friedrich, Jeannie Juracko, J. Paul Wentworth  
July 17: Harlan Kalinowski, Joel Ploski  
July 18: Scott McClain  
July 19: Heidi Wilcox  
July 20: Connie Molli, Cindy Nahay, Judy Shonnard

## HAPPY ANNIVERSARY

July 14: Dan & Kim Tavormina  
July 17: Chad & Richelle Robinson  
July 18: David & Desiree Wagner  
July 19: Tom & JoAnn Smith

## QUESTION OF THE WEEK

*Suggested text for faith sharing: Today's Gospel*

**Adults** – Jesus tells us today to love God, our neighbor and our self. How will you love God this week? How will you love your neighbor this week? How will you love yourself this week?

**Youth** – The Samaritan reached out to a stranger and helped him. Who are the strangers who you could reach out and help in the coming week or month? How will you respond?

**Children** – Jesus tells us to love today. Name a time when you showed your love for your family or friends during the past week.  
lifelongcatechesis.osv.com

## SACRIFICIAL GIVING

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

	SH	OLL
Offertory last week:	\$1,592	\$ 620
envelopes used:	40	15
Building Fund last week:	\$ 342	\$ 60
envelopes used:	22	8

### Catholic Services Appeal 2025:

Diocesan Assessment: \$28,259

Pledges/Gifts: 67

Pledged: \$28,725 Payments Received: \$23,085

*Thanks for your generosity and dedication.*

**HELPING HANDS PRAYER** God most merciful and kind, You have established the great commandment of love as the summary and soul of the entire law. Fill our hearts, then, with compassion and generosity toward the sufferings of our brothers and sisters, so that, like Christ, we may become Good Samaritans to the whole world. 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 grand prize drawing is July 27. **Congratulations** to our July winner: #2882—Darcie Schoenfeldt, 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.

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.

**The Our Lady of Lourdes Church garden, funded by the Family Society,** is producing lots of vegetables. Come to the garden and pick vegetables on Thursdays, from 4:00 to 6:00pm. Available currently: spinach, swiss chard, romaine, butter, and crunch varieties of lettuce. Also available: spring onions and herbs, such as oregano, thyme, dill and basil. We could always use help with the garden. Call John Shonnard at 814-758-1154 with any questions or to volunteer.

**Looking for a fun volunteer opportunity?** The Pregnancy Center of Meadville might be for you! Volunteer 3-4 hours every week or two or more. You can help with the vital mission of assisting young families and children with parenting coaching, stocking our store, doing a little laundry, processing donations, assembling new strollers, yard work, ultrasound services and counseling if you have experience in this, and more. The rewards are great in this fun, upbeat, prayerful mission. Please call us at 814-333-6567 for a volunteer application. Located at 657 Pine St, Meadville; just up the street from Meadville Medical Center, Grove Street.

#### **Employment Opportunities...**

- **Administrative Assistant position for St. Hippolyte/Our Lady of Lourdes Parish.** If anyone is interested in applying, call the parish office at 814-789-2022 or email [office@sainthippolytechurch.com](mailto:office@sainthippolytechurch.com) to receive the application. Resume and application must be received back to the parish office no later than July 27, 2025. Job description and expectations will be shared with candidates during the interview process.
- **Grade 1 Teacher for Seton Catholic School.** This is a full-time position for the 2025-26 school year and beyond. Join our mission. Shape the future. Contact Seton School at 814-336-2320 or email [chess@seton-school.com](mailto:chess@seton-school.com)

**This year's dinner will be held on**

**Sunday, July 27!** We need the help of all parishioners; there is something for everyone! Please contact Claire Smith at 814-795-7283 to volunteer. **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. Please call Claire to volunteer for any of the open positions. Invite your friends from other parishes or the local community. We appreciate everyone's support! We are now accepting donations for our gift auction. Only **new or handcrafted** items can be accepted. Items should be delivered to the Gift Auction Room in the Saint Hippolyte Church classroom area **BEFORE July 21st**. To avoid confusion, please record the item(s) donated on the sign-in sheet so that they will be included on the master list. If you plan to deliver a donated item on the day of the dinner, please call Shannon Ploski at 814-282-7634 by July 21st so that preparations can be made in advance.

**Thank you to all who have been selling the Main Raffle Tickets (\$5 each).** So far this year we have sold 1,020 tickets; we've almost reached last year's sales of \$1,168. Keep selling those tickets—there's still \$1,750 to be given away!

**THANK YOU to all who helped with the expansion of the parking lot at Saint Hippolyte Church.** Many volunteer hours were put in by several faithful parishioners—designing the plan, seeking the permit from the local township, working with Penelec to move the electric pole, leveling the gravel, grading and seeding the run-off area. Many thanks to John Hamilton, Chris Gordon, Steve Ferry, Paul Mercier II, G & J Hamilton Farm for donating gravel and equipment, and Mark & Patty Fiely for donating the grass seed.

**Couples celebrating 25<sup>th</sup>, 40<sup>th</sup>, 50<sup>th</sup>, 60<sup>th</sup> or more wedding anniversaries** are invited to attend the annual Diocesan Anniversary Celebrations on Sunday, August 3 at Our Lady of Peace, Erie at 2:00 pm or Sunday, August 24 at St. Tobias, Brockway at 3:00 pm. Celebrations include Mass with Bishop Persico followed by a light reception. To register for either event or to receive a certificate by mail, complete the online registration at <https://www.eriercd.org/familylifeoffice/anniv.html>, contact your parish office, or contact the Marriage and Family Life Office at (814) 824-1210. Registrations are being accepted until July 24 for the Erie celebration, until August 14 for the Brockway celebration or until September 11 to be mailed to you.



"This blood, when worthily received, drives away demons and puts them at a distance from us, and even summons to us angels and the Lord of angels. This blood, poured out in abundance, has washed the whole world clean. This is the price of the world; by it Christ purchased the Church."

~St John Chrysostom.



June 20, 2025

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

By virtue of our baptism, we are all called to be missionaries. Like the Apostles, we are encouraged to reach out to our brothers and sisters in faith, love, and sacrifice, both around the world and here at home.

The **Collection for National Needs**, to be taken this year the weekend of July 19 and 20, affords the opportunity for Catholic communities, who have the means, to stand in solidarity with poorer ones in our own country. This collection is a combination of two other collections:

- **The Catholic Home Mission Appeal** impacts the lives of nearly 9 million Catholics. Through annual grants, the Catholic Home Missions funds catechesis for children and adults, seminarian education, lay ministry training, Hispanic ministry, and other pastoral programs in needy dioceses.
- **The Black and Indian Mission Collection** helps to evangelize and support our African American, Native American and Alaska Native communities with mission schools, religious education programs, the purchase of catechetical materials, and ministry training.

The struggle to receive basic pastoral care and catechesis is faced by thousands of faithful living in home mission dioceses. I ask your generous response to the Collection for National Needs on July 19 and 20. Your support will truly make a difference in strengthening the Church at home and be greatly appreciated. Be assured that you and your family remain in my prayers.

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Sincerely yours in Christ,

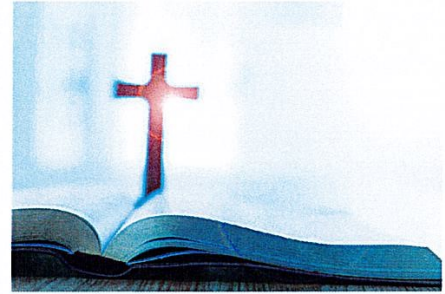
*+Lawrence T. Persico*

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





*Our parish elderly or shut-ins  
might enjoy a card or letter from you.*



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JIM and MARCENE KARNS — 10638 Luce Road, Guys Mills, PA 16327

LINDA KERR—9082 Pettis Road, Meadville, PA 16335

RUTH MERCIER — Juniper Village #107, 455 Chestnut Street, Meadville, PA 16335

ELAINE MORRELL — PO Box 55, Cochranon, PA 16314

SHIRLEY PORTER—26579 Shaffer Road, Guys Mills, PA 16327

DAN and CEC RICHARD — 11881 N Wayland Road, Meadville PA 16335

LORNA WADDELL — 32886 Guys Mills Road, Townville PA 16360

*If you are aware of someone who needs to be added to or removed from this list, please  
contact the parish office.*



# Ham or Chicken Dinner Shirts: 2025

**A**



## Adult T-shirts

XS-XL: \$22  
2X: \$25  
3X: \$27  
4X: \$29

**B**



## Adult Tanks

XS-XL: \$22  
2X: \$25

**C**

**YOUTH SIZE**



## YOUTH T-Shirts






S-XL: \$22

**Name:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Phone:** \_\_\_\_\_

Please make checks payable to **Darcie's Designs**. Cash is also accepted.

Shirt orders must be returned **NO LATER THAN 7/20!!!**

Item A B C	Color (Please circle ONE)	Qty	Size	Cost
	Blue    Black			
	Blue    Black			
	Blue    Black			
	Blue    Black			
<b>TOTAL QUANTITY:</b>			<b>TOTAL COST:</b>	

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Welcome to our parish! We hope you will become a part of our parish family!

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Check One: ☐ Saint Hippolyte ☐ Our Lady of Lourdes

*Please drop this form in the offertory basket or mail to the parish office.*