## 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

# Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

July 20, 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 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 21, SAINT LAWRENCE OF BRINDISI 8:30am SH Adoration and Rosary

TUESDAY, JULY 22, SAINT MARY MAGDALENE

WEDNESDAY, JULY 23, SAINT BRIDGET

THURSDAY, JULY 24, SAINT SHARBEL MAKHLUF

FRIDAY, JULY 25, SAINT JAMES 8:30am OLL Adoration and Rosary

SATURDAY, JULY 26, SAINTS JOACHIM and ANNE 6:00pm SH Andy Mattis (Ed & Margie Kline Family)

SUNDAY, JULY 27, 17th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME 11:00am SH Dale Hamilton (Lucille Hamilton)

Read our parish bulletin online at www.sainthippolytechurch.com and The Epiphany of the Lord parish bulletin at www.epiphanymeadville.org

## **HELPING HANDS MINISTRY**

#### **Coordinators:**

Connie Molli (telephone) ...... 814-720-8190 Brenda Withers (telephone) ..... 814-425-1062

**Ministry of Welcome:** 

#### **Services to the Bereaved:**

**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.

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 10:30am Rosary at SH

Second Collection: National Needs 8:30am Adoration and Rosary at SH Monday

9:30am Small Group Bible Study at SH 6:00pm H/C Dinner Set-up at SH

Friday 8:30am Adoration and Rosary at OLL 9:00am H/C Dinner Set-up at SH Saturday

Sunday 10:30am Rosary at SH

12:30-4:30pm 129th Ham or Chicken Dinner

## COMING EVENTS

H/C Dinner clean-up at SH 9:30am and 6:00pm July 28

August 4-9 Cochranton Community Fair

#### READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Gn 18:1-10a/Col 1:24-28/Lk 10:38-42 TODAY:

MONDAY: Ex 14:5-18/Mt 12:38-42

TUESDAY: Sg 3:1-4a or 2 Cor 5:14-17/Jn 20:1-2, 11-18

WEDNESDAY: Ex 16:1-5, 9-15/Mt 13:1-9

Ex 19:1-2, 9-11, 16-20b/Mt 13:10-17 THURSDAY:

2 Cor 4:7-15/Mt 20:20-28 FRIDAY: SATURDAY: Ex 24:3-8/Mt 13:24-30

SUNDAY: Gn 18:20-32/Col 2:12-14/Lk 11:1-13

## **HAPPY BIRTHDAY**

July 21: Candy Morrell

July 22: Ruth Mercier, Darin Sutton

July 23: Teresa Yarnell July 24: Kathy Young

July 25: Dawn Morelli, Dan Tavormina July 27: Ethan Gordon, Joan McCain

#### HAPPY ANNIVERSARY

July 22: John & Lynn Wentworth July 23: John & Ashley Ritchey July 24: Mark & Christen Kirk July 26: Ryan & Natasha Myers July 27: Brooks & Christina Rynd

## QUESTION OF THE WEEK

Suggested text for faith sharing: Today's Gospel

**Adults** – The Gospel today invites us to serve and to be hospitable. When did you welcome Jesus into your home through the presence of a neighbor or a stranger?

Youth – Martha chose to serve, Mary chose to sit at Jesus' feet and listen to Him. Of those two actions, service or prayer, which do you feel more comfortable with? Why?

Children – Name a time when you shared what you had with a friend, or a classmate at school.

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#### SACRIFICIAL GIVING

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

SH OLL \$1,278 Offertory last week: \$ 1.270 envelopes used: 33 14 Building Fund last week: \$ 402 \$ 130 envelopes used: 14 4

Mission Appeal: \$325

Catholic Services Appeal 2025:

Diocesan Assessment: \$28,259

Pledges/Gifts: 68 Pledged: \$30,725

Payments Received: \$25,185



Thanks for your generosity and dedication.

## HELPING HANDS PRAYER

Through strangers in need, O Lord our God, You gave Abraham and Sarah the promise of a child. In the person of Jesus You graced the home of Martha and Mary with Your living Word. Help us to realize that in those to whom we offer hospitality, it is You whom we receive as a guest. 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 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 drawings are one week from today!

#### INTERESTED IN **ATTENDING 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.eriercd.org/fam.htm

## LIKE US ON FACEBOOK:

Saint Hippolyte/Our Lady of Lourdes Roman Catholic Church



The Sanctuary Candle is burning this week at Saint Hippolyte Church and at Our Lady of Lourdes Church for the success of the Frenchtown Ham or Chicken Dinner.

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.

Mass will be celebrated on Saturday, July 26 at 6:00pm at Saint Hippolyte. Those who have the early shifts at the Ham or Chicken Dinner on July 27 are encouraged to attend this Mass, however all are welcome to join us!

Volunteers are needed for the parish's food booth at the Cochranton Community Fair, August 4-9. Workers always have a great time working together. This is a great way to meet and get to know your fellow parishioners, while having lots of fun! Please contact Debbie (814-720-4782) if you can help.

Summer Hangout is held every Wednesday at St. Mary Church Center in Meadville 8:00am-4:00pm for middle schoolers (including those going into the 6th grade) and high schoolers. Watch a movie in the morning and have fun with open gym in the afternoon. Lunch provided. More information is available at epiphanymeadville.org/youth-ministry

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. We could always use help with the garden. Call John Shonnard at 814-758-1154 with any questions or to volunteer.

**Employment Opportunities...** 

- Administrative Assistant position for St. Hippolyte/Our Lady of Lourdes Parish. If anyone is interested in applying, call the parish office 814-789-2022 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

## The 129th Frenchtown Ham or Chicken Dinner will be held next Sunday, July 27!

Thank you to everyone who have reached out and signed up Volunteer to help make this fundraiser **Spotlight** possible



- We are still in need of 14 more volunteers to fill our worker list for the dinner. We are especially in need of chicken cookers, Cool World helpers (12-3) and a person to heat vegetables and gravy in the kitchen (2-5). We need the help of all parishioners; there is something for everyone! Please contact Claire Smith at 814-795-7283 to volunteer.
- Donations of new items for the Gift Auction are still being accepted. Check out the clearance aisle of your favorite store and see what's on sale! All sorts of items make great prizes...games, outdoor or lawn care items, small household appliances, kitchen gadgets, tshirts, beverages, jewelry, gift cards, themed gift baskets, hand-crafted items; the list is endless and anything you would like to win makes a great prize! Prizes can be taken to the classroom marked "Gift Auction" or delivered tomorrow during set-up.
- Garden produce, home-made fudge, baked good and hand crafted items are needed for the Country Store. Bring those next Sunday!

# FRENCHTOWN HAM or CHICKEN DINNER **Sunday, July 27, 2025**

Dinners Served 12:30-4:30pm (or sold out)

Adults \$15 Senior Citizens (60+) \$14 Youth (6-12) \$10 Free Dine-In Meals for Children 5 and younger

Menu: ½ Barbecued Chicken OR Ham, Mashed Potatoes and Gravy, Coleslaw, Green Beans, Applesauce, Dinner Roll, Beverage and Dessert

Games and Raffles, Gift Auction, Free Game Area for the Kids SHUTTLE SERVICE TO THE PARKING AREAS AVAILABLE **Handicap Accessible** 



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