

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

Twenty-Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time

October 13, 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

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, OCTOBER 14, SAINT CALLISTUS I

8:30am SH Adoration and Rosary

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 15, SAINT TERESA OF JESUS

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 16, SAINT HEDWIG;

SAINT MARGARET MARY ALACOQUE

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 17, SAINT IGNATIUS OF ANTIOCH

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 18, SAINT LUKE

8:30am OLL Adoration and Rosary

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 19, SAINTS JOHN de BREBEUF and

ISAAC JOGUES and COMPANIONS

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 20, 29th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

11:00am SH Dennis Lyons (George & Betty Klein)

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:

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.

Sacramental Emergency: 814-350-7676

EVENTS THIS WEEK

Today 9:15-10:45am Faith Formation Grades PS-8 at SH
10:30am Rosary at SH
12:00-1:30pm Faith Formation Grade 9 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
Tuesday 7:00pm Choir at SH
Friday 8:30am Adoration and Rosary at OLL
Saturday 10:00am Rosary Walk at Roche Park
Sunday 9:15-10:45am Faith Formation Grades PS-8 at SH
9:15am Ongoing Ministry Formation at SH
10:30am Rosary at SH

COMING EVENTS

Oct. 20 Second Collection: Mission Sunday
Oct. 21 33 Days to Eucharistic Glory begins at SH 9:30am

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

TODAY: Wis 7:7-11/Heb 4:12-13/Mk 10:17-30
MONDAY: Gal 4:22-24, 26-27, 31—5:1/Lk 11:29-32
TUESDAY: Gal 5:1-6/Lk 11:37-41
WEDNESDAY: Gal 5:18-25/Lk 11:42-46
THURSDAY: Eph 1:1-10/Lk 11:47-54
FRIDAY: 2 Tm 4:10-17b/Lk 10:1-9
SATURDAY: Eph 1:15-23/Lk 12:8-12
SUNDAY: Is 53:10-11/Heb 4:14-16/Mk 10:35-45

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Oct 14: John Greathouse, Sandy Kalinowski, Evelyn Padlan
Oct 15: Gerry Hargenrader
Oct 16: Kay Hotchkiss
Oct 17: Austin Minnick
Oct 18: John Bauer, Wally Homa
Oct 19: Logan Danielson, Lilo Guest, Sophia Hutchison
Oct 20: Paddy Padlan

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY

Oct 14: Don & Pat Johnson
Oct 15: Bob & Donna Aaron
Oct 19: Joe & Tammy Heme

QUESTION OF THE WEEK

Suggested text for faith sharing: Today's Gospel

Adults – How hard is it for you to part with things you treasure? Do your possessions ever stand in the way of having deeper communion with God?

Youth – What is your most important possession? How hard would it be for you to give it up?

Children – How difficult would it be for you to give something you treasure to someone else who needed it more than you do?

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SACRIFICIAL GIVING

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

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Offertory last week:	\$1,344	\$ 811
envelopes used:	40	15
Building Fund last week:	\$ 267	\$ 125
envelopes used:	16	3

Catholic Services Appeal 2024:

Diocesan Assessment: \$29,034

of Gifts/Pledges: 64

Pledged: \$27,055 Received: \$21,865

Thanks for your generosity and dedication.



#GIVECATHOLIC

**Save the date:
Giving Tuesday—Dec. 3**

HELPING HANDS PRAYER More precious than gold or silver, O God, more enduring than health and beauty, is the Spirit of Your wisdom: in her hands, uncounted wealth, in her company, all good gifts! Send this wisdom from your holy heaven that we may hear and follow the Good Teacher, Jesus, Who looks on us with love, and gladly forsake all lesser wealth for the unrivaled treasure of Your Kingdom. We ask this through Jesus, Who is not ashamed to call us brothers and sisters, the high priest Who sympathizes with our weakness and intercedes on our behalf, Christ Jesus, Who is One with You and the Holy Spirit, God for ever and ever. Amen.

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 Weekend will be Men's #255, February 21-23, 2025 at Our Lady of Mercy Church in Harborcreek, PA.

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

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 Desi at 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 Family Society will meet on Monday at 6:00pm at Our Lady of Lourdes. All are welcome to attend.

33 Days to Eucharistic Glory—On Monday mornings at 9:30am beginning October 21 at St. Hippolyte, we will begin sessions in preparation for consecration to the Body and Blood of our Lord. Using Matthew Kelly's book, *33 Days to Eucharistic Glory*, we will read and reflect each day on our own. Each Monday we will meet as a group to share our thoughts, reactions, and inspirations we received over the past week. All are welcome to join our group, which meets thru November 18. To register or if you have questions, call Fran Greathouse at 814-425-2549. ****You will need to buy the book, either new from dynamiccatholic.com, or from places like Thrift books, Second Sale books, Amazon, etc.**

Thank you for the awesome consolations prizes for the Reverse Raffle. Please keep them coming, we have a long way to go to reach 145. Don't forget: if you are a ticket seller, please turn in your sold tickets ASAP...and if you have any tickets available let Julie know so that they can be sold. If you'd like to purchase a ticket, contact Julie at 814-789-3688.

Child Protection and Creating Safe Environments – Is Your Child Street Smart? Being street smart means knowing how to keep yourself safe from strangers when you're alone or with other kids. When you're street smart you know your way around, you know how to handle yourself in tough situations and you can "read" people. Teach your child who are strangers - (anyone they do not know or kind of know) and to never approach a stranger's vehicle. Teach your child to always tell you where they are. Teach your child to always go with a friend or two whether walking to school, bike riding or going to the store. Pick out safe spots where your child can go and get help. Places like police stations, stores, restaurants. Teach them how to spot safe places on their route and to avoid places that aren't safe. Finally, teach your child to trust their instincts and to make a lot of noise if they are scared. For more information visit www.kidshealth.org. For additional resources visit www.eriercd.org/childprotection

All Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion and Lectors are encouraged to attend "Ongoing Formation" at St. Hippolyte Church next Sunday morning. Beginning at 9:15 in the youth room, we will be discussing the real presence of Jesus Christ in the Eucharist and the importance of the service that our lectors and extraordinary ministers provide. We will also have an open forum to answer any questions that may come up and get to know each other better.

40 Hours Adoration Oct. 27 - 29 Epiphany of the Lord Parish will begin 40 Hours Adoration with exposition of the Blessed Sacrament after the 11:30 am Mass on Sunday, Oct. 27 at Saint Agatha Church. The closing each evening will start at 6:30 pm, with Fr. Dan Hoffman preaching. All are welcome to attend a reception on the final night.

Eucharistic Miracles We are able to have the third and final portion of the Eucharistic Miracles display created by Blessed Carlo Acutis available during the 40 Hours in St. Agatha Center. Do you doubt the True Presence of Christ in the Eucharist? Come explore these amazing events where the host and wine have turned into physical flesh and blood we can see. God is so good to give us these graces!

Seton Catholic School in Meadville is looking to hire a Physical Education/Health Teacher.

This is a permanent part-time position (20 hours) for the 2024-2025 school year and beyond. An Elementary Education or Health/Physical Ed degree is needed. Please drop off or email a letter of interest, resume, Diocese of Erie teaching application, references, and necessary clearances to Christine Hess, Principal, Seton Catholic School, 385 Pine Street, Meadville PA 16335 or chess@seton-school.com Please call 814-336-2320 with questions.

The required documentation can be found at www.eriercd.org/childprotection/secf-schoolemployee.html

Columbus Day spaghetti dinner—All are welcome to an annual Columbus Day spaghetti dinner at St. Mary of Grace Church, 1085 Water St., Meadville, on Sunday, Oct. 13, from 11:30am to 5:00pm. Menu: spaghetti, homemade sauce and two meatballs, salad, bread, beverage and dessert. Dine in or carry out. There will also be a bake sale, a raffle with cash prizes, a 50/50 and a gift basket auction. Dinner and raffle tickets are available for purchase at the door, after Mass or in advance at the parish office. For more information call 814-336-1112. The proceeds will benefit the Epiphany of the Lord Parish.



NATIONAL
**Eucharistic
Revival**

On Oct. 7 we honored the Blessed Virgin as Our Lady of the Rosary. You know, the Rosary isn't just a bunch of repeated prayers. It is powerful! At a conference last summer, one of the speakers, Fr. Louis Merosne, told about a time he had been praying over a girl for exorcism. She told him that on her walk home, it was very dark and she was scared, so she prayed the Rosary. The next day during her session, the demon complained to Fr. Louis that last night the girl had become too heavy and the demon couldn't budge her because she had been praying the Rosary! Even if we are feeling low and thinking we can do nothing, our Lady is powerful. She is waiting for us to call on her so she can lead us ever closer to Jesus.

Free Family Fun Event

All Saints Costume Contest

Commemorating the Holy Day of Obligation

November 1, 2024, from 5:00 PM to 8:00PM
At St. Hippolyte Church, Frenchtown, PA

Contestants: What saint are you; when did you live, and when, where, and how did you die.

This is an outdoor event so please dress for the weather and bring your own chairs.

Tentative Schedule:

5:00 PM – Hot dog dinner (**sign-up sheets** are in the common area)

6:00 PM – Mass

7:00 PM – Contest Judging

7:30 PM – Hayride (**Permission slips are required** and are on the reverse side of this announcement)

Saint Costume Prize Categories:

Most Gruesome Death

Most Authentic Costume

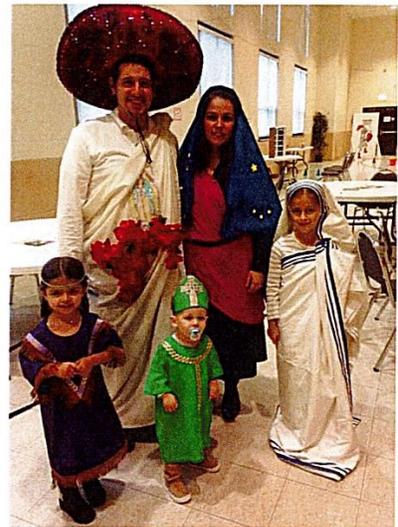
Historically the Oldest Saint

Youngest Saint

Judges:

Fr. Jeff Lucas

Fr. Kyle Seyler



**Contact: Eileen Mantz, OFS at 814-425-1405 or
ramadama@windstream.net**

Contestant Information and Permission Sheet

**All Saints Day Costume Contest
St. Hippolyte Church
November 1, 2024
5:00-8:00 PM**

What is a Saint? A saint is someone who has left us with examples of how to serve God and are recognized for their holiness. Some saints died defending the faith, some taught lessons against heresies, some are Popes. There are many ways to look at saints in the Catholic culture, they exist in every era, every country, and in every world culture. Some saints were black slaves like St. Josephine Bakhita, American Indians like St. Kateri Tekakwitha, priests like St. Maximillian Kolbe, Naval Chaplains like St. Vincent R. Capodanno, Koreans like St. Andrew Kim. Some were young like St. Dominic Savio (15 years old) and old like St. Raymond Penyaforth (100 years old). One of the newest saints is St. Carlo Acutis. Some were beheaded, had their eyes plucked out, had body parts removed, were boiled in oil, crucified, were fed to lions, and shot with arrows, you get the idea (do some research). Some died peacefully after a lifetime of teaching about God and the heavenly kingdom. St. Francis of Assisi gave the world the Christmas Creche, the Stations of the Cross, and was the first to receive the Stigmata. St. Hippolytus gave us the Second Eucharistic Prayer used at Mass. For this contest, we encourage you to study a saint that you want to represent in costume. You will need to tell the judges who you are representing, why you chose this saint, and when and where the saint lived and died. The award categories are the most gruesome death, the most authentic costume, the youngest saint, and an historically older saint.

Parents are encouraged to attend to monitor their children. Permission slips are required, fill out and tear off the bottom of this sheet and submit to your local Formation Director. Local FD send slips to Eileen Mantz, OFS

There will be _____ members of my family attending (for the hot dog meal)

I give permission for my child/children to participate in the All Saints Day Costume Contest and join in the hayride. List all children here:

Parent printed name

Parent signature

Parent signature



September 18, 2024

Dear Sisters and Brothers in Christ,

In 2024, World Mission Sunday will be celebrated on the weekend of October 19-20. Donations collected at these worldwide Masses go entirely to support churches, hospitals, schools and vocations in countries where the Church is new, young or poor. World Mission Sunday supports over 1,150 mission territories specifically in Asia, Africa, Latin America, the Pacific Islands, and the Middle East. In the 1800's, it was the Catholic Church in the United States that benefitted from this collection. Now is our chance to give back.

This year's theme is: "Go and invite everyone to the banquet." (cf. Mt 22:9). This message, rooted in the parable of the wedding banquet, calls us to a renewed sense of our missionary responsibility. Pope Francis emphasizes the call to every Christian to bear witness to Christ, to participate in a mission of universal evangelization, and to seek strength and guidance from the Holy Spirit. As we prepare for World Mission Sunday, may we be inspired by the words of Pope Francis. Let us pray that the Lord may help us to be a more missionary Church, reaching out to every corner of the earth with His message of love and salvation.

With gratitude for your generosity, and with prayers for a fruitful celebration of World Mission Sunday, I remain

Sincerely yours in Christ,

+Lawrence T. Persico

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



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We are once again asking for the help of every family for our 17th Annual Reverse Raffle, which will be held on Saturday, November 2nd in the Saint Hippolyte social hall. We need you to donate consolation prizes for those who don't remain eligible for the final prize of \$1,000. If every family in the parish gave two prizes we would be in great shape. Your small investment will be returned to the church ten-fold. **Last year's profit was \$16,361!** Prizes can be brought to the church any Sunday morning and placed in the designated classroom at Saint Hippolyte, or call the parish office if you need to drop something off during the week. We'll even come and pick it up—just call Desi at the office (814-789-2022) to make the arrangements.

Some examples of items needed are:

- Gift Cards for gas, restaurants, shopping, movies, haircuts, etc.
- Camping, Hunting or Fishing Items
- Golf Items
- Theme Baskets
- Family Games
- Kitchen Gadgets or Small Appliances
- Live Plants or Silk Floral Arrangements
- Holiday Decorations
- Lawn & Garden Items
- Bottles of Wine or other Spirits
- Sweatshirts, Jackets, Hats, T-Shirts
- Tools & Car Care Items
- Instant Lottery Tickets
- Anything you would like to win!

Reminder: All proceeds from this parish event are deposited into the parish general operating account to help with our parish expenses not covered by your offertory donations.

Le Nom du Pere Society has never received any of the proceeds from this fundraiser

Please be sure to register your prize when you drop it off. Registration forms and instructions are available in the designated classroom.

If you don't like to shop, give us a monetary donation and we'll do the shopping for you!

Please drop off your donations no later than Sunday, October 27th.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT!

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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.