

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

Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe

November 24, 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

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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, NOVEMBER 25, ST. CATHERINE OF ALEXANDRIA
8:30am SH Adoration and Rosary

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 26, WEEKDAY

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 27, WEEKDAY

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 28, THANKSGIVING DAY

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 29, WEEKDAY

8:30am OLL Adoration and Rosary

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 30, SAINT ANDREW

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 1, FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT

11:00am SH George & Betty Popovich (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

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| 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 |
| Tuesday | 7:00pm | Choir at SH |
| Thursday | | HAPPY THANKSGIVING Parish Office Closed |
| Friday | 8:30am | Adoration and Rosary at OLL Parish Office Closed |
| Sunday | | No Faith Formation Classes |
| | 10:30am | Rosary at SH |

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

TODAY: Dn 7:13-14/Rv 1:5-8/Jn 18:33b-37
MONDAY: Rv 14:1-3, 4b-5/Lk 21:1-4
TUESDAY: Rv 14:14-19/Lk 21:5-11
WEDNESDAY: Rv 15:1-4/Lk 21:12-19
THURSDAY: Rv 18:1-2, 21-23; 19:1-3, 9a/Lk 21:20-28
FRIDAY: Rv 20:1-4, 11—21:2/Lk 21:29-33
SATURDAY: Rom 10:9-18/Mt 4:18-22
SUNDAY: Jer 33:14-16/1 Thes 3:12—4:2/Lk 21:25-28, 34-36

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Nov. 25: Laurel McKellop, Kaylyn Paul, Chuck Yarnell
Nov. 26: Eileen Mantz
Nov. 28: Carl Hotchkiss, Nicole Neely
Nov. 29: Abby Knapka, Kathy Myers, Savannah Phillips
Dec. 1: Cathy Kalinwoski

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY

Nov. 30: Chris & Shannon Ploski

QUESTION OF THE WEEK

Suggested text for faith sharing: Today's Gospel

Adults – If today was your last, what would you do with it?

Youth – If today was your last day, what would you be most thankful for? What would you regret?

Children – If Jesus came to visit you today, what would you do? What would you say? How would you act?

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THE SANCTUARY CANDLE is burning this week at Saint Hippolyte in memory of Toni Pierce as requested by the Family.

SACRIFICIAL GIVING

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

| | SH | OLL |
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| Offertory last week: | \$1,241 | \$ 721 |
| envelopes used: | 43 | 25 |
| Building Fund last week: | \$ 387 | \$ 65 |
| envelopes used: | 20 | 6 |

Catholic Services Appeal 2024:

Diocesan Assessment: \$29,034

of Gifts/Pledges: 65

Pledged: \$28,275 Received: \$23,830

Thanks for your generosity and dedication.

THANK YOU, Dan Hamilton! Dan recently created the Hamilton Endowment for Saints Peter and Paul Cemetery in the amount of \$250,000. This endowment, administered by the Catholic Foundation of Northwest PA, will ensure that the funds necessary for the maintenance and upkeep of our Pettis Cemetery will be available for generations to come. Thank you again, Dan; your generosity is a blessing to our parish!

"God loves a cheerful giver." (2 Corinthians 9:7)

HELPING HANDS PRAYER Lord God almighty, You have anointed Jesus as the Christ not to rule a kingdom won by violence but to bear witness to the truth, not to reign in arrogance but to serve in humility and love, not to mirror this world's powers but to inherit a dominion that will not pass away. Freed from our sins by the blood of this Faithful Witness, shape our service of others after the pattern of Christ's self-sacrificing love. We ask this through the Christ, Who was, Who is and Who is to come, Your Son Who lives and reigns with You in the unity of 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.

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



Join the diocesan Facebook page at
www.ErieRCD.org

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.

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament is held at 8:30am, on Monday mornings at SH and Friday mornings at OLL.

Volunteer Cleaners are needed for the month of December at Saint Hippolyte. If you aren't able to take the full month, sign up for a week! Check the list posted in the vestibule to see which weeks are available. A cleaning checklist is provided in case you aren't sure what needs to be done.

Le Nom du Pere Society has scheduled a hall kitchen cleaning bee on Wednesday, Dec. 4, beginning at 4:00pm at St. Hippolyte. Can't come that early? Come whenever you can! Food and beverages will be provided and the regular monthly meeting will take place at 7:00pm. This would be a great opportunity to hang out with LNDP members and learn what activities this organization does in service to our parish.

We are participating in #iGiveCatholic again this year! Giving Day is Tuesday, December 3rd. This year's campaign will support



the Saint Hippolyte Stained Glass Window Restoration Fund. Our parish will also be eligible for some additional cash prizes just by your participation in the program! Donations are accepted online or via a special envelope in the collection basket; you can save on the transaction fee by giving with the provided envelopes. Donations received

through the envelopes will still qualify us for the prizes! Envelopes are available in the vestibule at Saint Hippolyte Church or to give online:

<https://erie.igivecatholic.org/organizations/st-hippolyte-parish>

Did you know that our parish can receive prizes through #iGiveCatholic just because you give at least \$10 to our parish? Prizes in amounts from \$250 to \$2,000 are available to randomly drawn parishes throughout the day on December 3. A few examples of prizes are:

- \$500 to a randomly selected parish, school, or ministry that has received at least 10 donations during the advanced giving period from November 18 through December 2.
- \$500 to a randomly selected parish, school, or ministry that has received at least 10 donations by 9:59 AM on December 3.
- \$750 to a randomly selected parish, school, or ministry located in the Western Vicariate of the Diocese of Erie that has received at least 10 donations before 11:59 P.M. on Dec. 3.
- \$1,000 to the organization that receives the #iGiveCatholic donation that puts the grand total raised by all Diocese of Erie organizations over \$350,000.
- \$2,000 to a randomly selected parish, school or ministry that has received at least 10 donations by 11:59 P.M. on Give Day.

You can view these and many more prizes at

<https://erie.igivecatholic.org/prizes>



Our Advent Giving Tree is available today. We are supporting four local families in the Maplewood Elementary attendance area. Please take a tag from the tree and fill in your information on the clipboard provided. Bring wrapped gifts with the tag attached back to the tree **no later than December 15**. Get your tag early so that you can take advantage of the Black Friday sales! We are also collecting non-perishable food for these families. Bring your food by Dec. 15. Thank you for your continued support of this wonderful program.

Back by Popular Demand!



St Hippolyte Confirmation Class is once again partnering with the Stained Glass Window Restoration Committee!

Together we will help light up the Church on Christmas Eve!

The Confirmation students will be taking orders for those interested in sponsoring a Luminary for use at Mass on Christmas Eve. Luminaries can be done in "Memory of" or "Honor of" anyone you would like. The cost is a donation. All donations will benefit the Stained Glass Window Restoration Project. Pick up an order form from the Saint Hippolyte Church vestibule. Our deadline is December 22nd.

Volunteers are needed to work at the Food for Thought Food Pantry located in the New Richmond Grange Building, Wednesdays, from 4:00-5:30pm. Please check the list on the bulletin board in the SH vestibule for the open dates.









Today is the feast of Christ the King, the last day of the liturgical year. When we receive the Eucharist at Mass, pray, "Jesus, come into my heart and reign there forever! Come as King and friend, Lord and lover, my everything and my all. Be enough for me. Thank You."



December 2024 Parish Calendar



| Sun | Mon | Tue | Wed | Thu | Fri | Sat | |
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| <p>1 <i>1st Sunday of Advent</i> No Faith Formation today 10:30am—SH Rosary</p> | <p>2 8:30am—SH Adoration and Rosary 9:30am—SH Bible Study</p> | <p>3 6:30pm—OLL Rosary 7:00pm—OLL Choir #iGiveCatholic Giving Day</p> | <p>4 4:00pm—SH Kitchen Cleaning 7:00pm—SH Le Nom du Pere Society</p> | <p>5</p> | <p>6 8:30am—OLL Adoration and Rosary</p> | <p>7</p> | |
| <p>8 <i>2nd Sunday of Advent</i> Faith Formation PS-12 9:00am—OLL Breakfast 9:15am—SH Adult Education: Praying with the Examen 10:30am—SH Rosary Second Collection: Retired Religious</p> | <p>9 <i>Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary</i> 8:30am—SH Adoration and Rosary 9:30am—SH Bible Study 6:00pm—SH Holy Day Mass</p> | <p>10 7:00pm—SH Choir</p> | <p>11</p>  | <p>12</p> | <p>13 8:30am—OLL Adoration and Rosary Parish Office Closed Today</p> | <p>14</p> | |
| <p>15 <i>3rd Sunday of Advent</i> Faith Formation PS-8 10:30am—SH Rosary 12:00pm—SH Holiday Bake Sale</p> | <p>16 8:30am—SH Adoration and Rosary 9:30am—SH Bible Study Parish Office Closed Today</p> | <p>17</p> | <p>18</p> | <p>19</p> | <p>20 8:30am—OLL Adoration and Rosary</p> | <p>21</p> | |
| <p>22 <i>4th Sunday of Advent</i> Faith Formation PS-8 10:30am—SH Rosary 12:00pm—SH Sunday Social</p> | <p>23</p> | <p>24 10:00pm—SH Mass</p> | <p>25 <i>The Nativity of the Lord</i> 11:00am—SH Mass</p> | <p>26</p> | <p>27 8:30am—OLL Adoration and Rosary</p> | <p>28</p> | |
| <p>29 <i>The Holy Family</i> No Faith Formation 10:30am—SH Rosary</p> | <p>30 8:30am—SH Adoration and Rosary 9:30am—SH Bible Study</p> | <p>31</p> | <p>Jan. 1 <i>Mary, Mother of God</i> 6:00pm—SH Holy Day Mass</p> | <div style="border: 2px solid black; padding: 5px; display: inline-block;">View the monthly parish calendar online: https://sainthippolytechurch.com/events.html</div> | | | <div style="border: 2px solid black; padding: 5px; display: inline-block;">Parish Office Closed</div> |

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