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NEW TO OUR COMMUNITY? JOIN OUR PARISH!

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.

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

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 Assistants
Kathleen Wheelock and Allison Mattis

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-3:00pm

St. Hippolyte Social Hall: 814-789-4533
Our Lady of Lourdes Social Hall: 814-425-7550

*Sixth Sunday in
Ordinary Time
Feb 15TH, 2026*



OUR LADY OF LOURDES CHURCH

251 S. Franklin St., Cochranon, PA 16314
(GPS only; send mail to the parish office)

Friday 8:30am - Adoration and Rosary

Weekly Liturgy Schedule

MONDAY, FEB 16TH, WEEKDAY
8:30am SH Adoration and Rosary

TUESDAY, FEB 17TH, WEEKDAY

WEDNESDAY, FEB 18TH, ASH WEDNESDAY

THURSDAY, FEB 19TH, THURSDAY AFTER ASH WEDNESDAY

FRIDAY, FEB 20TH, FRIDAY AFTER ASH WEDNESDAY
8:30am OLL Adoration and Rosary

SATURDAY, FEB 21ST, SATURDAY AFTER ASH WEDNESDAY

SUNDAY, FEB 22ND FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT
11:00am SH JUDY KIRBERGER (JIM & ROSIE BURCHARD)

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 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.

EUCCHARIST: If you require a gluten-free host, please notify the hospitality minister as you enter the church.

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	9:15am	No Faith Formation
	10:30am	Rosary at SH
Monday	8:30am	Adoration and Rosary at SH
	9:30am	Small Group Bible Study SH
Tuesday	7:00pm	Choir at SH
Wednesday	6:00 pm	Ash Wednesday Mass
Friday	8:30am	Adoration and Rosary at OLL
Sunday	10:30am	Rosary at SH

COMING EVENTS

Soup and Bread beginning at 6:00pm with Stations of the Cross to follow at 7:00pm at St. Hippolyte will be the following **Friday's:** February 27, March 6, March 13, March 20, & March 27



READINGS FOR THE WEEK

TODAY: Sir 15:15-20/1 Cor 2:6-10/Mt 5:17-37
MONDAY: Jas 1:1-11/Mk 8:11-13
TUESDAY: Jas 1:12-18/Mk 8:14-21
WEDNESDAY: Jl 2:12-18/2 Cor 5:20-6:2/Mt 6:1-6, 16-18
THURSDAY: Dt 30:15-20/Lk 9:22-25
FRIDAY: Is 58:1-9a/Mt 9: 14-15
SATURDAY: Is 58:9b-14/Lk 5:27-32
SUNDAY: Gn 2:7-9, 3:1-7/ Rom 5:12-19/ Mt 4:1-11

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Feb 22: Alivia Michalak
Feb 23: Al Marcinek, Ann Semler
Feb 24: Julie Foulk
Feb 27: Stephanie Werner
Feb 28: Nicole Belz, Mary Stewart, Dennis Diegelman

QUESTION OF THE WEEK

Suggested text for faith sharing: Today's Gospel
Adults :Have you considered that laws are made with love: Do you accept God's love through his laws?
Youth :In your own words, describe what the spirit of God's law is.
Children :Which rules cause you the most difficulty? Why?
lifelongcatechesis.osv.com

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.

SACRIFICIAL GIVING

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

Offertory last week: SH/OLL \$ 1714.00
envelopes used: #37
Building Fund last week: \$ 290.00
envelopes used: #16

Catholic Services Appeal 2026
Diocesan Assessment: \$23,287



Thanks for your generosity and dedication.

I would like to thank everyone who helped with Lucille Hamilton's funeral dinner. A special thank you to those who helped with making the cheesy potatoes for me. I also want thank everyone for coming in and helping set up for the French dinner. Rita Bogardus.

There will be a short meeting on Feb 22 after Mass to begin organizing a Cemetery Renovation committee for foundation and stone repair. There are various ways to participate, including physical, financial and fundraising opportunities. Contact Mike Foulk for more information @ 814-789-3688.

HELPING HANDS PRAYER

In The folly of the cross, O God of Mystery, you reveal to us how far removed from this world's logic is the surpassing wisdom of your Kingdom. Grant us the true Spirit of the gospel, that our faith might rest not on human wisdom, but on your power made known in Christ crucified; and untiring in charity, might become salt for the earth and light for the 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.



HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE

- Ash Wednesday, February 18, 6:00pm
- Palm Sunday, March 29, 11:00am
- Mass of the Lord's Supper, Thursday, April 2, 7:30pm
- Good Friday, April 3, 3:00pm
- Holy Saturday Easter Vigil, April 4, 8:30pm
- Easter Sunday, April 5, 11:00am

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.



The 2026 Catholic Services Appeal In Christ

Today is Commitment Sunday for the 2026 Catholic Services Appeal In Christ, We Are One. The CSA is essential to carrying out the Church's mission to evangelize, educate, serve, proclaim the Word, celebrate the sacraments and provide hope to people in need, beyond what any parish can provide on its own. As baptized Catholics, Christ calls each one of us to share His love and build up His Church. Through our gifts to the CSA, we carry out His life-giving mission. Thank you for your faithful generosity and prayers for the CSA. Every CSA donation also brings us closer to being able to complete our own parish project [repairs for the St. Hippolyte Cemetery]. No gift is too small, but please give as generously as you are able.

Congratulations to parishioner **Brady Rynd** who scored his **1,000th** career point last week for the Cochranon Cardinals. Great Job, Brady!

Parish Raffle Tickets 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. This Month's winner for the monthly drawing is **Mike Foulk**. Congratulations! When returning your tickets, give them to Kathy Young. Do not place in the offertory basket.

If you have any new Prayer requests please contact Bob Schoenfeldt @ 814-333-8684 or Julie Hovis @ 814-657-3265. They will be updating the list .

If you are interested in signing up for the **Food Pantry** there is a sign up sheet on the bulletin board in the back of the Church. Please consider volunteering! Any and all help is appreciated! Please see Shannon Ploski for more information.

St. James Haven's Monthly Fundraiser: Thursday, February 19th 3:00-6:00pm 779 N. Main St. Meadville Cost is a minimum donation of \$5 per meal. This month's menu includes: meatloaf, mashed potatoes, carrots, & gravy, roll & a sweet treat.

Our envelope company has sent us some generic envelopes to be used in case of emergency. They are located in the back of the Church. Please take a couple to have on hand.

Year End Tax Statements are now available! you can access your own giving records and print the statement at **<https://www.eriercd.org/portal.html>** If you do not have internet access and you need a copy printed, you can request a copy by calling the office between 9:00-3:00 Monday-Friday.

22:32 MEN'S CONFERENCE The 13th Annual 22:32 Men's Conference will be held on Saturday, March 7, 2026, at St. Jude the Apostle Parish, Erie. The event will be livestreamed throughout the Erie Diocese and beyond. 22:32 Men seek to live the passage from Luke 22:32 — “But I have prayed for you that your faith may not fail. And when you have turned back, strengthen your brothers.” Our annual Men's Conference will give participants the opportunity to gain needed tools for this journey. Hundreds of men from all walks of life and from all parts of the Erie Diocese (and beyond) will gather for a day of prayer, dynamic speakers, reflection, Eucharistic Adoration, an opportunity for the Sacrament of Reconciliation, and Mass. For more information, please visit www.2232Men.com or call The Reason for Our Hope Foundation @ 814-455-7364.

CLEANING POSITION: The Parish is looking to hire someone to clean the church at St. Hippolyte. This would be a part time position for weekly cleaning. If you are interested in this opportunity, please contact the parish office for an application and additional information. A huge shoutout and thank you to all of our dedicated parishioners who have volunteered to clean the church for the last number of years. Thank you for your time, commitment, and care of our spiritual “Home”. We are very thankful for your service and grateful for you. That being said, we will continue to need volunteers to clean until this position is filled. Please help as you are able. Thank you.

Eucharistic Corner

Ask Jesus to make you a saint. After all, only He can do that. Go to confession regularly and to Communion as often as you can ~St. Dominic Savio

