

Saint Mary's Parish Community

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SAINT MARY'S PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

One of the hallmarks of Franciscan spirituality is to extend welcome to all. On Behalf of Fr. Kevin, Franciscan TOR and Parish Administrator of Saint Mary's and the members of the parish, we extend this heartfelt invitation to all who join us: No matter what your present or past status in the Catholic Church; no matter what your current family or marital situation; no matter what your past or present religious affiliation; no matter what your personal history, age, background, race, or color, you are invited, welcomed, accepted and loved here at Saint Mary's Church. In the words of Saint Francis Assisi, "May the Lord give you peace."

—Fr. Kevin, T.O. R., Deacon Jim, and Parish Staff

May 11, 2025

Fourth Sunday of Easter

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INTERFAITH COMMUNITY FOOD PANTRY 242-7910

MASS SCHEDULE

Daily 8:30 AM
Monday through Friday

Sunday
Saturday 4:30 PM
Sunday 8:00 AM and 10:30 AM

Sacrament of Penance
Friday 8:00 AM
Saturday 3:30 PM - 4:15 PM

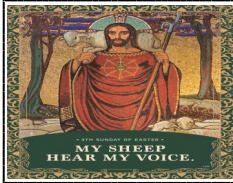
BULLETIN DEADLINE: MONDAY AT NOON



BAPTISM Call the Rectory to make arrangements for Pre-Baptism Classes early in your pregnancy (if this is your first child) and to arrange for the Baptism after your child is born. You must also be a registered and active member of the parish.

MARRIAGE In accordance with Diocesan directives arrangements must be made at least 9 months before the marriage date. All couples are required to attend Diocesan sponsored Pre-Cana sessions and to participate in the FOCCUS inventory. Call the rectory for information and schedules.

PARISH MEMBERSHIP We are always happy to welcome new parishioners. You may register any day, Monday through Friday, at the parish office. Registration, the practice of stewardship, and regular participation in the Eucharist indicates active membership and eligibility to act as a Godparent or Sponsor. Your stewardship of time, treasure, and talent is essential for the common good.



FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER MAY 11, 2025

Jesus said: "My sheep hear my voice; I know them, and they follow me." —Jn 10:27

From the Pastor's Desk

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION Congratulations to Cohen Lantzy, Joseph Jackens, Kendra Williamson, Sara Wissinger, Autumn Wood, and Kaiden Yewcic who will receive Holy Communion for the first time today. God bless these children and their parents.

THE SACRAMENT OF THE ANOINTING OF THE SICK will be offered after the 10:30 AM, Mass on May 18. Those who wish to be anointed should come to the front of the church. Vatican Council said that the Sacrament of the Sick is not only for those who are in danger of death, but for the faithful suffering from serious illness, great pain, afflictions of old age, and serious mental illness. This sacrament strengthens the soul of the sick person, arouses confidence in Divine Mercy, helps to bear the trials of sickness, and sometimes brings healing to the body.

MASS FOR WIDOWS AND WIDOWERS TO BE TELEVISED Remember your loved ones on Sunday, May 25, with a televised Mass celebrated by Bishop Mark Bartchak at 11:00 AM on WATM ABC 23 and will rebroadcast that night at 9:00 PM on the Breezeline channel 9. All spouses will be acknowledged and remembered at Mass. All persons who have lost a spouse through death throughout the Altoona-Diocese are invited to register by contacting the Family Life Office 814-317-2643 or email familylife@dioceseaj.org. When registering, please give your name, address, phone number and the name of your spouse who has passed away. The last day to register is Wednesday, May 21. The event is sponsored by the Diocesan Family Life Office and the Catholic Ministries Drive. Please be advised a special broadcast of a sporting event on WATM ABC 23 may delay this broadcast. All names of loved ones will be seen during Communion.

A PUBLIC ROSARY, in honor of Our Lady of Fatima, will be held on Thursday, May 15, at 6:30 PM at Saint Clement Church, Upper Yoder.

INTERFAITH COMMUNITY FOOD PANTRY The next distribution date is Saturday, May 24, at 10:00 AM. Registration begins at 9:00 AM.

2025 CATHOLIC MINISTRIES DRIVE TARGET GOAL: \$30,800.00; **TOTAL AMOUNT PLEDGED:** \$8,645.00; **TOTAL CASH RECEIVED:** \$8,170.00; **PLEDGE BALANCE:** \$475.00; **TOTAL NUMBER OF PARTICIPATING FAMILIES:** 44; **PERCENT:** 11%. Thank you to the following who have responded to the *Catholic Ministries Drive*: M/M Richard Agagliati, M/M John Baker, M/M Raymond Becker, Mrs. Johanna Boothby, M/M Jay Frank, Mrs. Catherine Clawson, M/M Walter Galko, M/M John Galli, Mr. Michael Gongloff, M/M Daniel Hoover, Deacon and Mrs. James Janosik, M/M Stephen Jarabak, M/M Joseph Kozlovac, M/M Frederick Kreashko, M/M Mike Kreshalk, Mrs. Leona Kruper Mr. Lawrence Kupchella, M/M Edward Kuykendall, Mr. Michael Kuzilla, M/M Walter Lasinsky, Miss Morine Long, M/M Kenneth Martinazzi, Mr. Robert Martinazzi, M/M Lawrence McCreary, Mrs. Elizabeth McDermott, M/M Robert McEvoy, Jr., M/M Francis Millward, M/M Andrew Mulato, M/M James Mullen, M/M James Ostinowsky, Mrs. Paulette Parsley, M/M Edward Ponchione, M/M Stanko Popich, Mrs. Theresa Roe, M/M Bernard Shedlock, Mrs. Judith Shultz, M/M William Stawarz, M/M Paul Uncapher, M/M John Vasilko, M/M David Verba, Mr. Dennis Watson, M/M John Yokitis. Please join them in supporting our parish and a select group of ministries that provide outreach to the poor, family life, youth, and seminarians. If you did not receive a pledge card in the mail, please use the envelopes available at all entrances to the church. Please mail your pledge card and gift directly to the diocese or you may give online at www.dioceseaj.org. On behalf of these vital ministries, thank you for your sacrificial gifts of prayer and treasure.

A MOTHER'S PRAYER

Thank you dear Lord, for the miraculous vocation of motherhood You have blessed me with. At times, I may not be able to fathom the intensity of the miracles that are worked in human hearts throughout the seasons of my vocation as mother. By Your grace and love for me, I trust that I act as Your instrument in this world - first to my own family, and then, reaching out to others. Please continue to work through me as I work out my own salvation and that of my family. Help me to lead others to You by my life and love. -From *Catholic Prayer Book for Mothers*

MASSES FOR THE WEEK

Monday May 12	Saints Nereus and Achilleus, Martyrs Saint Pancras, Martyr +Frances Gisler (Mike Warmus)
8:30 AM	
Tuesday May 13	Our Lady of Fatima +Ronald J. Nargi (Father Kevin)
8:30 AM	
Wednesday May 14	Saint Matthias, Apostle +Ariene Kupchella (Birthday Remembrance) (Mom and Dad)
8:30 AM	
Thursday May 15	Saint Isidore +Ladislav Churilla (Pat Zalubski Family)
8:30 AM	
Friday May 16	Easter Weekday +Richard Goodrich (Birthday Remembrance) (Jim Ostinowsky and Family)
8:30 AM	
Saturday May 17	Anticipated Fifth Sunday of Easter Wedding Nuptials Bristi Kozlovac and Eli Murphy
1:00 PM	
	4:30 PM
	+Madeline Martinazzi (Arnold Gabelli)
Sunday May 18	Fifth Sunday of Easter Parish Family
8:00 AM	
	10:30 AM
	+Patricia Millward (Jerry)

MAY 4 SUNDAY COLLECTION

Adult Sunday Envelopes:	\$ 4,569.00
Student Sunday Envelope:	5.00
Sunday Loose Donations:	120.00
Votive Candles:	12.00
Easter Offering Envelope:	10.00
Lenten Folders:	50.00
Mother's Day Envelopes:	1,054.00
Father's Day Envelope:	1.00
Total:	\$ 5,821.00
Adult Sunday Envelopes: 198 out of 403 - 49%	

May 11 Stewardship Reflection Fourth Sunday of Easter

A spirit-filled and joy-filled life can be available to all of us. It can be achieved when we recognize, as Paul and Barnabas did in our First Reading, that all we have and all we are is a gift from God, meant to be shared with others for His glory. Living as stewards isn't always easy, and sometimes involves great challenges, but in the end there is simply no more satisfying way to live.



Please remember the intentions of those in the hospitals and those recuperating at home: Deb Saghy, Connie Weekes, Mary Olstein, Francis Parana, Jimena Setz, Lucia Aguilar, and Patrick McDermott. Pray for all those who are sick, including all those in nursing facilities.



This week the Sanctuary Lamp will burn as an anniversary remembrance for Richard Agagliati, Sr. requested by Kathy.

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Mon.	12:	6:30 PM	Perpetual Help Devotions
Fri.	16:	8:00 AM	Confessions
		6:30 PM	Holy Name 8th Grade Graduation (Holy Name Church, Ebensburg)
Sat.	17:	3:30 - 4:15 PM	Confessions

**Liturgical Appointments
May 17 and 18**

MASSES

Sat.	- 4:30	D. Kordish
Sun.	- 8:00	D. Fabo & E. Ponchione
Sun.	- 10:30	S. & Z. Shedlock

SERVERS

READERS

Sat.	- 4:30	(1 & 2) B. McDermott
Sun.	- 8:00	(1) S. Popich (2) M. Bober
Sun.	- 10:30	(1) M. Shedlock (2) J. Podgorney

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS

Sat.	- 4:30	T. McMullen & J. George
Sun.	- 8:00	D. Ponchione & L. Kupchella
Sun.	- 10:30	M. Lloyd & B. Shedlock

LEADERS OF SONG

Sat.	- 4:30	Folk Choir
Sun.	- 8:00	R. Becker
Sun.	- 10:30	M. F. Shedlock

Daily Liturgical Schedule For Week of May 19 - 23

Server: B. Cote Reader: C. Agagliati
Extraordinary Ministers: C. Verba & S. Popich

HOLY NAME SCHOOL NEWS

Eucharistic Adoration: The Primary students will attend Adoration on Tuesday, May 13, 8:30 - 10:00 AM.

Eighth Grade Program: The Eighth Grade students will display their talents during a special performance on Wednesday, May 7, at 1:00 and 6:30 PM in the church hall.

The Final Home and School Executive Meeting for the 2024-2025 school will be on Wednesday May 14, at 6:00 PM in the school.

Mass: Please join us as we celebrate Mass with our Faith Families on Friday, May 16, at 9:15 AM. Primary students will participate in the ministries.

Eighth Grade Graduation: We thank Mrs. Lykens for preparing the Eighth Graders for their graduation from Holy Name school on Friday, May 16, at 6:30 PM in the church. Our prayers as you move forward to new and exciting challenges is that the lord may watch over you and guide you in all that you do and all that you become.

If you would like to learn more about Holy Name School, visit holynameschool.net.

Facebook: If you would like to learn more about Holy Name School in pictures and videos, please find us on Facebook at The Official Holy Name School.

Gift Cards: The SCRIP cards are available in the Narthex on Sunday mornings. If you would like to purchase gift cards during the weekday, please visit the Rectory Office.

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2025 SPRING CASH AWARDS TICKET Congratulations to the winners of the following numbers drawn for the 2025 Spring Cash Awards ticket. My sincere gratitude to everyone who supported this fundraiser by buying their ticket and taking extra tickets.

4/20	#103	(500.00)
4/21	#387	(250.00)
4/22	#069	(250.00)
4/23	#986	(250.00)
4/24	#910	(250.00)
4/25	#087	(500.00)
4/26	#499	(500.00)

Receipts

Ticket Deposits	\$ 4,400.00
Donations	\$ 30.00
Total Receipts	\$ 4,430.00
Profit	\$ 1,856.63

Expenses

Prize Money	\$ 2,500.00
Postage	\$ 73.37
Total Expenses	\$ 2,573.37

A total of 440 tickets were sold (13 tickets were left unsold, 2 tickets were returned, and 45 tickets weren't returned).

NANTY GLO FISHING DERBY AT THE NANTY GLO PARK & POOL RESERVOIR

Sponsored by the Nanty Glo Downtown Events Committee. Sunday, May 18 - 8:30 AM Registration, Derby starts at 9:00 AM until 1:00 PM. For kids 12 and under ONLY and must be accompanied by an adult. There will be prizes and refreshments.

OPEN POSITIONS IN THE DIOCESE Maintenance Supervisor, Resource Assistant, Multimedia Content Creator, (all in Altoona), and Administrative Assistant in Johnstown. Apply now at <https://humanresources.dioceseaj.org/general-employment-opportunities/>.

ACTIVITIES & EVENTS

THEOLOGY YOUNG ADULT GROUP (18-39) Our next Benediction and Board Games is Friday, May 16, at Saint John Gualbert at 6:00 PM. All young adults aged 18-39 are invited to join us for faith and fellowship! For more information contact Geoffrey Stumpo at 814-659-7415 or geoffstumpo@gmail.com.

MYSTERY BINGO! May 18 at Holy Family Parish Hall, Portage. Only 200 tickets for sale at \$25 each. Ticket includes: Admission, 3 Bingo Cards, A Small Meal with beverage, one chance for the Door Prize Drawing of \$200 and 25 Mystery Cash Prizes awarded at \$50 or more. In the event there are multiple winners, one person will be selected for the main prize while other winners will receive a cash prize of lesser value (also a mystery). Kids under the age of 17 are admitted free with an adult but MUST PURCHASE CARDS TO PLAY BINGO. Available for purchase will be concessions, extra cards, 50/50, specials and qualifiers. To buy 50-50'S and qualifiers the purchase of an Admission Ticket is required! Door open at 11:30 AM and Games begin at 1:00 PM. Tickets will be on sale before and after all Masses in the vestibule of the church or contact the Parish office at 814-736-4279.

MAY DAYS 2025 AT THE BASILICA OF SAINT MICHAEL THE ARCHANGEL, LORETTO

May 24 and 25 at Our Lady of Loretto Community Hall. Live entertainment, cinch tournament (call Mag 421-2867 to join), basket raffle, flea market, silent auction, and refreshments. Saturday, 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM and Sunday, 11:00 AM - 4:00 PM. Turkey dinner Sunday at 11:00 AM. \$10 per person. All are welcome!

2025 CAMBRIA COUNTY CAMP CADET, MOUNT ALOYS-IUS COLLEGE, CRESSON will run from July 27 to August 2, 2025. If you are between the ages of 12 and 15, go to our website to apply at www.cambriacountycampcadet.org. Our application process is open from now until May 31st.

SAINT ROSE OF LIMA PARISH, ALTOONA Win a chance on an Emerald Isle Beach Vacation in North Carolina. 1st prize gets choice of Peak Season or Off Season; 2nd prize gets Other Week. Only selling 300 tickets. \$50.00 per ticket. Sold after every Mass or call the rectory 814-944-8509. Drawing is June 1.

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