

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

April 19, 2026

Third Sunday of Easter

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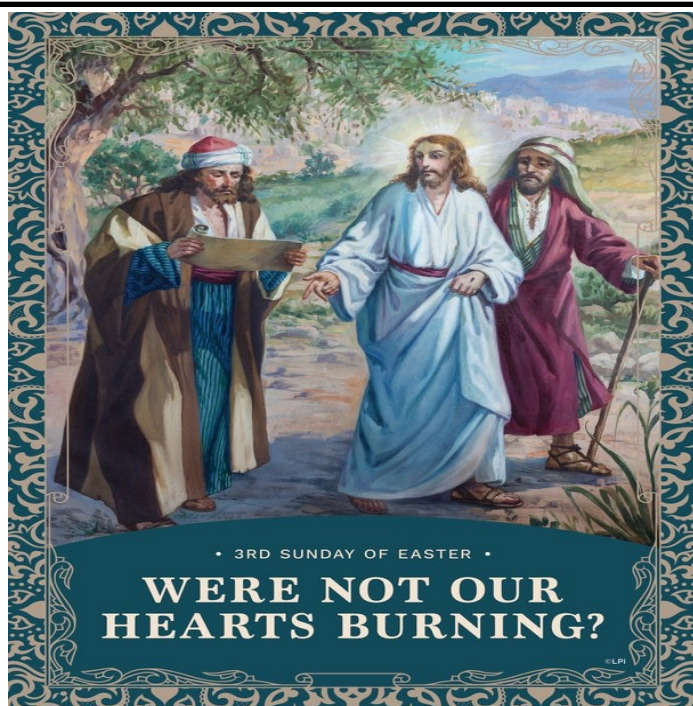
MASS SCHEDULE

Daily 8:30 AM
Monday through Friday

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

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

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 FOCUS 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.

Saint Mary's Parish utilized the RUN-HIDE-FIGHT philosophy of responding to an Active Shooter event.



THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER APRIL 19, 2026

Then they said to each other. "Were not our hearts burning within us while he spoke to us on the way and opened the Scriptures to us?" —Lk 24:32

From the Pastor's Desk

SAINT ANSELM

St. Anselm of Canterbury left his home in Italy to travel as a young man and ended up at the monastery in Bec, France, which was known for the teachings of its leader, Lanfranc. Anselm rose quickly to become abbot of the community and his writings are now compared in importance to those of St. Augustine.

In 1093 Anselm was appointed Archbishop of Canterbury by William II Rufus, the son and successor of William the Conqueror. However, at the time there was a controversy in Europe over whether kings or the pope had the power to invest bishops. Anselm, who believed only the pope should have the right to invest an ecclesiastical authority, spent much of his time as Archbishop exiled in Rome.

St. Anselm's teaching and works of theology are his most important contribution to the Catholic faith. He is considered of the fathers of scholastic theology and his chief achievement in philosophy was the ontological argument for the existence of God. His work *Cur Deus homo?* Taught that atonement for sins could only be achieved through Christ. He was canonized in 1494 and named a Doctor of the Church in 1720. ©LPI

CONFIRMATION Congratulations to Paige Alexander, Gianna Grimaldi, Raigan Myers, Ryen Myers, Johah Palko, Noah Ray, Zachary Shedlock, Jacob Simmons, Kaydyn Smith, Leah, Szewczyk, Bella Wicks, and Averi Yewcic who were confirmed on Friday, April 17, at Holy Name Church. Please pray for these young students and support them with thoughtful words and kind gestures.

THE PASTORAL COUNCIL MEETING will be on Monday, April 20 at 7:00 PM.

THE 2026 SPRING CASH AWARD TICKETS Thank you to everyone who bought, sold, and took extra tickets. The ticket drawing starts tonight. Thank you for supporting this fundraiser.

2026 CATHOLIC MINISTRIES DRIVE TARGET GOAL: \$28,500.00; **TOTAL AMOUNT PLEDGED:** \$8,330.00; **TOTAL CASH RECEIVED:** \$8,180.00; **PLEDGE BALANCE:** \$150.00; **TOTAL NUMBER OF PARTICIPATING FAMILIES:** 47; **PERCENT:** 11.44%. 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, Mrs. Kathleen Clark, Ms. Catherine Clawson, M/M David Covolo, M/M Clint Divido, M/M Mark Forcellini, M/M Jay Frank, M/M Walter C. Galko, M/M John Galli, M/M Dennis Gallo, Mr. Eugene George, M/M Daniel Hoover, Deacon & Mrs. James Janosik, M/M Frederick Kreshko, M/M Mike Kreshko, Mrs. Leona Kruper, Dr. Lawrence Kupchella, M/M Edward Kuykendall, Mrs. Patricia Landrum, M/M Walter Lasinsky, Miss Morine Long, M/M Thomas Malcotti, M/M Walter Marchu, M/M Kenneth Martinazzi, M/M Larry McCreary, Mrs. Elizabeth McDermott, M/M Robert J. McEvoy, M/M Jerome McGlynn, M/M Andrew Mulato, M/M James Mullen, Mrs. Barbara Oblinsky, Mrs. Cynthia Olstein, M/M James Ostrowsky, Mrs. Eileen Pierson, M/M Edward Ponchione, M/M Stanko Popich, Mr. Cristian Ridilla, Mrs. Judith Shultz, Mrs. Kathy Smith, M/M Paul Uncapher, M/M John Vasilko, M/M David Verba, Mr. Dennis Watson, M/M Donald 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.

MASSES FOR THE WEEK

Monday April 20 8:30 AM	Easter Weekday +Sidney Fye (Judith Shultz)
Tuesday April 21 8:30 AM	St. Anselm, Bishop and Doctor of the Church +Charles Fitzsimmons (Father Kevin)
Wednesday April 22 8:30 AM	Easter Weekday +Patrick Kent (Theresa Parks)
Thursday April 23 8:30 AM	St. George, Martyr St. Adalbert, Bishop and Martyr COMMUNION SERVICE
Friday April 24 8:30 AM	St. Fidelis of Sigmaringen, Priest and Martyr +Dick Goodrich (John Deskevich)
Saturday April 25 4:30 PM	Anticipated Fourth Sunday of Easter +Bob Kasecky (John, Mini, and Aimee)
Sunday April 26 8:00 AM	Fourth Sunday of Easter +Catherine Smolensky (Chris Zamboni Family)
10:30 AM	Parish Family

APRIL 5 EASTER SUNDAY COLLECTION

Sunday Envelopes:	\$ 3,544.00
Easter Sunday Envelopes:	6,974.00
Easter Sunday Loose Donations:	871.00
Lenten Folder:	10.00
Holy Land Envelopes:	45.00
Total:	\$ 11,444.00
Sunday Envelopes: 149 out of 399 - 37%	
Easter Offering Envelopes: 178 out of 399 - 45%	
Lenten Folders:	\$ 552.50
Holy Thursday/Chrisian Service Collection:	\$ 890.00
Holy Land/Good Friday Collection:	\$ 1,009.00

APRIL 12 SUNDAY COLLECTION


Sunday Envelopes:	\$ 4,319.00
Sunday Loose Donations:	143.00
Easter Offering Envelopes:	480.00
Holy Land Envelopes:	28.00
Lenten Folders:	50.00
Votive Candles:	25.00
Total:	\$ 5,045.00
Adult Sunday Envelopes: 194 out of 399 - 49%	


April 19 Stewardship Reflection Third Sunday of Easter

Today's readings focus on a theme of 'sojourning.' As Christian stewards, we know that our lives are a sojourn toward the ultimate destination of heaven.

Our second reading instructs us to "conduct yourselves with reverence during the time of your sojourning, realizing that you were ransomed...with the precious blood of Christ." What a powerful reminder during the Easter season of our 'why' for embracing the stewardship way of life - we have been ransomed by our Lord's saving death and resurrection. Our lives are a gift from Him - as we sojourn through life, we are to make our lives a gift to Him in return.

So, what can we do when we become discouraged - when we need our hearts set on fire once again? We can go to the same sources as the two disciples from our Gospel today on the road to Emmaus - the Scriptures (the living Word of God) and the Eucharist (the very source and summit of our faith). Frequent recourse to these two gifts from our Lord is essential to sustain us in the stewardship way of life.

 Please remember the intentions of those in the hospitals and those recuperating at home: Mary Ann Greene, Janice Konsavich, Joyce McMullen, Joseph Berdomas, Joseph Snedden, Jimena Setz, and Lucia Aguilar. Pray for all those who are sick, including all those in nursing facilities.

 This week the Sanctuary Lamp will burn as an 80th Wedding Anniversary in memory of Richard and Mary Long requested by daughters.

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SCHEDULE OF EVENTS			
Sun.	19:	9:30 AM	Elementary CCD (Saint John Vianney Church)
Mon.	20:	6:30 PM	Perpetual Help Devotions
		7:00 PM	Pastoral Council Meeting
Fri.	24:	8:00 AM	Confessions
Sat.	25:	3:30 - 4:15 PM	Confessions

**Liturgical Appointments
April 25 and 26**

MASSES		SERVERS	
Sat.	- 4:30	D. Kordish	
Sun.	- 8:00	D. & E. Ponchione	
Sun.	- 10:30	S. Shedlock & A. Yewcic	
READERS			
Sat.	- 4:30	(1) F. Wiegman	(2) R. Kline
Sun.	- 8:00	(1) K. Janosik	(2) M. Bober
Sun.	- 10:30	(1) B. Shedlock	(2) D. Shedlock
EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS			
Sat.	- 4:30	D. Kline & M. A. DiSisto	
Sun.	- 8:00	L. Kupchella & S. Popich	
Sun.	- 10:30	M. Lloyd & C. Ridilla	
LEADERS OF SONG			
Sat.	- 4:30		
Sun.	- 8:00	M. F. Shedlock	
Sun.	- 10:30	M. F. Shedlock	

Daily Liturgical Schedule For Week of April 27 - May 1

Server: E. Ponchione **Reader:** M. A. DiSisto
Extraordinary Ministers: C. Verba & B. Shedlock

HOLY NAME SCHOOL NEWS

DIBELS Testing: The students in grades K - 2 will begin the last round of DIBELS tests on Monday, April 20.

Eucharistic Adoration: The Primary students will attend Adoration on Tuesday, April 21, 8:30 - 10:00 AM.

First Holy Communion Retreat: We welcome our second-grade friends from Central Cambria on Thursday, April 23, for Holy Communion practice.

Mass: Please join us as we celebrate Mass on Friday, April 24, at 9:15 AM. Junior High students will participate in the ministries.

First Holy Communion: Please remember our second-grade students in your prayers as they prepare to receive Jesus in the Sacrament of Eucharist. This special Mass will be held on Saturday, April 25, at 10:00 AM.

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.

HOLY NAME CHURCH, EBENSBURG On Monday, May 4, at 7:15 PM, Michael Franzese will be our guest speaker during the Easter season. Michael is a former caporegime in the Colombo crime family. He turned away many years ago from a life of crime, spent time in prison and had a conversion experience and turned his life over to our Lord Jesus Christ. He has spoken over 1600 churches throughout the world; he has visited prisons to speak about leaving a life of sinfulness and crime and giving everything over to our Heavenly Father! Let us all celebrate the Divine Mercy of Our Lord Jesus Christ. CAPEESH!

SIGHT AND SOUND BUS TRIP is scheduled for Tuesday, June 23, to see the musical presentation of "Joshua". The cost is \$195.00 for Adults and \$145.00 for Children (up to 12 years old) and includes the bus ride, show ticket, and a smorgasbord dinner at Hershey Farms. **Please have your \$25 deposit in as soon as possible.** Contact Saint Mary's rectory at 814-749-9103 for further information or to sign up.

ACTIVITIES & EVENTS

HEALING MASS Holy Spirit Ministry will hold a special Healing Mass on Tuesday, April 21, at 7:00 PM, at St. Michael Church, Hollidaysburg. This powerful night of hope and healing is for all who are suffering physically, emotionally, and spiritually. Fr. David Dodd, TOR will be the main celebrant. Praise and worship will precede the Mass at 6:30 PM and prayer ministry, sacramental anointing of the sick, and confessions, will follow the Mass. If you are suffering physically, or from an addiction, or hurting or struggling in any way, come and experience the healing power of Jesus and be set free! All Are welcome!

YOUNG ADULT GROUP (18-39) Our next Theology on Tap is April 22, at the Boulevard Grill at 6:00 PM with Brother Francisco Whittaker OSB speaking on Divine Mercy. Over the last several months we have been averaging about 45 young adults per month with new members joining monthly. All young adults (18-39) are invited! There is no cost to attend. For more information contact Geoffrey Stumpo (814) 659-7415 or geoffstumpo@gmail.com.

A NANTY GLO FIRE LADIES JEWELRY RAFFLE will be held on Saturday, April 25. Doors open at 5:00 PM and raffle starts at 6:00 PM. There are 13 prizes on the ticket, plus a \$2,000.00 shopping spree. A buffet meal will be served. Tickets are \$25.00 and can be purchased from any Fire Lady or at the door.

HITMIX MUSIC BINGO will be held at St. Francis Activity Center, 134 Barron Avenue, Johnstown on Saturday, April 25. The doors open at 4:30 PM with the first game beginning at 7:00 PM. Tickets are \$25 each which includes turkey dinner and non-alcoholic beverages, one bingo card for each game, and cash prizes every half hour. Also available for purchase are extra bingo cards, qualifiers, 50/50, chances on baskets and \$10 beer bracelets. Cash bar. NO OUTSIDE ALCOHOL PERMITTED. Must be 18 or older to participate! Please contact Fran King at 814-536-3667 with any questions!

CHURCH AND BREWERY BUS TOUR All Saints Parish in Boswell will be sponsoring a bus trip to Northeastern, PA on Saturday, April 25. The stops will include tours of St. Casimir Church Shenandoah (home parish of the famed Soviet prisoner Father Walter Cziscck), Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary Ukrainian Church in Centralia (the town that is one fire), Tours of the Yuengling Brewery (with samples included) and the historic Carbon County Jail (where the Molly Maguires were housed) as well as the historic Eckley Miner's Village. Mass will be celebrated in the historic Immaculate Conception Church in Eckley and a high-quality Italian meal is included at Matucci's in Mt. Carmel, PA. Pick up locations in Boswell and Central City. For more information or to register for the trip, please call All Saints office at 814-629-5551. The cost of the trip is \$150 per person. All are welcome.

SAINT PATRICK'S SPORTSMAN'S RAFFLE, Saturday, May 9, at the Bavarian Aid Society in Altoona. The doors open at 4:30 PM with dinner served at 5:00 PM. Tickets are \$25 and include admission for one, along with dinner and drinks. Come enjoy an evening of great food, fellowship, and exciting raffles. Must be 21 to attend. For tickets or more information, please call the school office at 814-695-3819.

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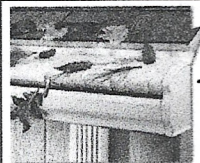
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