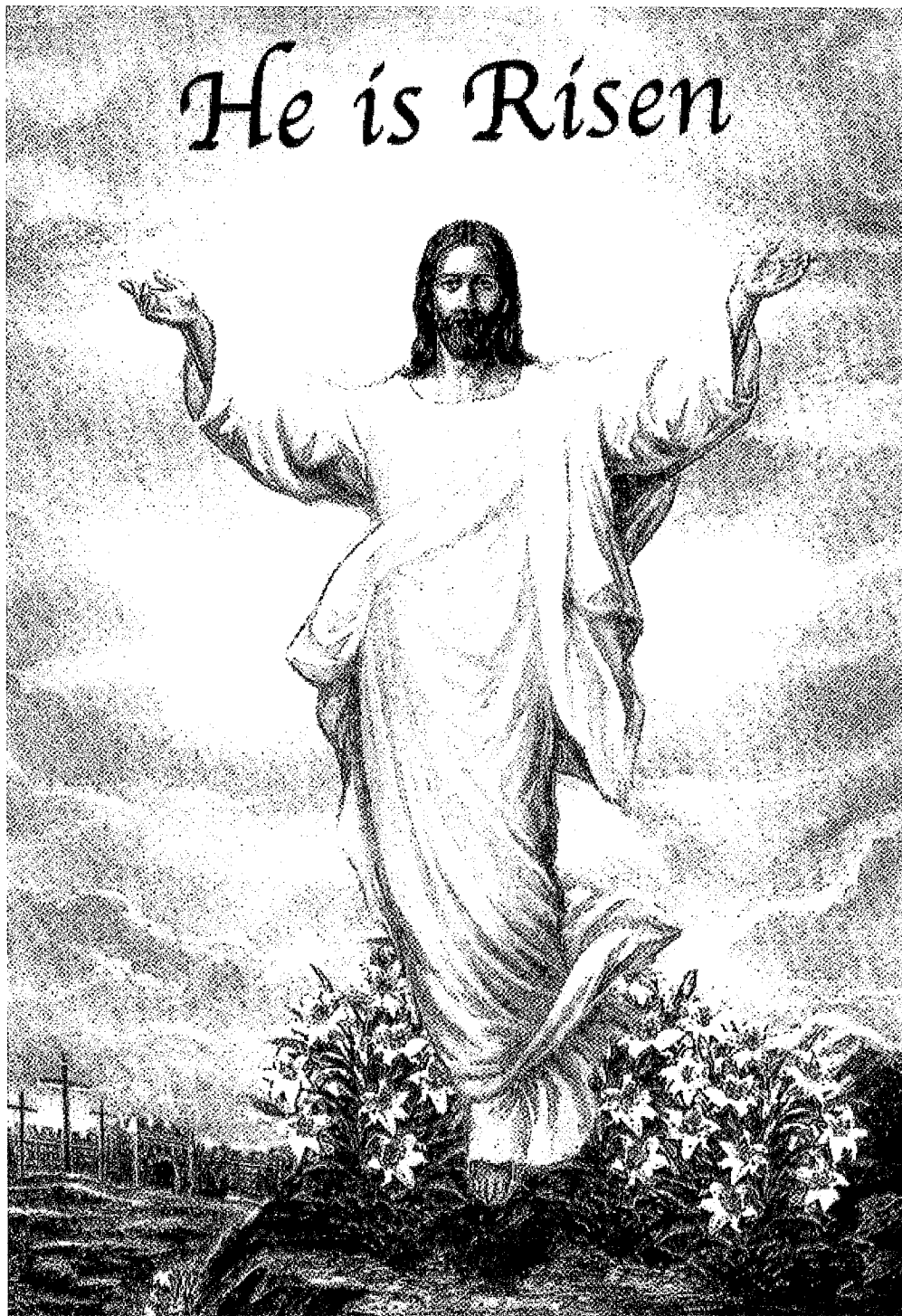


He is Risen



Easter
Holy Child Parish

Rev. Jacek J. Bialkowski, Pastor
April 5, 2015

Intentions for this Week

Saturday, April 4, Holy Saturday, Vigil of Easter

8:00 PM at Holy Child

All Parishioners

Sunday, April 5th, Easter Sunday of the Resurrection of the Lord

7:00 AM at St. Mary's (All Parishioners)

9:00 AM at Holy Child (All Parishioners)

11:15 AM at Holy Child (All Parishioners)

Monday, April 6

No Mass

Tuesday, April 7

No Mass

Wednesday, April 8

No Mass

Thursday, April 9

12:00 PM at Holy Child

Earl Thomas by Tom and Ilene Heil

Friday, April 10

8:30 AM at Holy Child

Fabian, Helen and Joan Manikowski by Family

Saturday, April 11

4:00 PM at Holy Child

Angie Bubacz by Martha & Tom Jessup

6:30 PM at St. Mary of Czestochowa

Lorelei Rae Grohman by Grandmother Jan Yoder

Sunday, April 12th, 2nd Sunday of Easter, Divine

Mercy Sunday

9:00 AM at Holy Child

Dorothy V. Baker by daughters

11:15 AM at Holy Child

All Parishioners



The Sanctuary Light burns to remind us of the real presence of Christ reserved in the tabernacle.

The Sanctuary Light at St. Mary's in Blossburg is offered this week (April 5) in memory of deceased members of the Banik and Bederman Families by Tim & Cathy Bogaczyk. The Sanctuary Light at Holy Child is offered in memory of Carolyn Jaquish Bond by Nancy and Dave Jaquish.

Bingo workers for April 18: Pat Metallo, Janet Metallo,

Ben Minnich, Sara Williammee, Rita Hanson

Kitchen workers for April 18: PREP Parents

Collection Counters:

April 6: Dave and Cathy Slusser

April 12: Anna Marie Mimplitsch and Rob Minnich

CELEBRATE
EASTER

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION:

Confessions are heard on Saturdays

at 3:30 PM at Holy Child

at 7:30 PM at St. Mary of Czestochowa

For other times, call the rectory to make an appointment.

Holy Saturday, April 4, 8:00 PM at Holy Child

Reading 1: Suzanne Case Reading 3:
Maryjane Seifried

Reading 5: Ron Becker Epistle and
Intercessions: Jim Weiskopff

Exulted: Bill Waldman Servers: Will,
Amanda, Isabella, Nick, Tristan E. Min:
John Ranck

Easter Sunday, April 5

7:00 AM at St. Mary's

Readers: Ray Brundage
Servers: Bill Lupkowski
E. Min: Tony Lupkowski

9:00 AM at Holy Child

Readers: Anna Marie Mimplitsch
Servers: Jon Baker
E. Min: Ann Monaghan

11:15 AM at Holy Child

Readers: Joe Maresco
Servers: Brendan Nash
E. Min: Bill Page

Ministers of the Altar

for next weekend April 11 & 12

4:00 PM Saturday at Holy Child

Readers: Samantha Rutledge
Servers: Amanda Rutledge
E. Min: Scott DiMarco

6:30 PM Saturday at St. Mary's

Readers: Pam Thomas, Jan Yoder
Servers: Nealens
E. Min: Tony Lupkowski

9:00 AM Sunday at Holy Child

Readers: Anna Marie Mimplitsch,
Dick Colegrove
Servers: Grace and Sophia Scouten
E. Min: Alan Parrotte

11:15 AM Sunday at Holy Child

Readers: Joe Maresco
Servers: Patricia Minnich
E. Min: Maryann Maresco

Readings

April 5

Easter

Acts 10:34a, 37-73
Psalm 118:1-2, 146-17,
22-23
Col 3:1-4
Mark 16:1-7

April 6

Acts 2:14, 22-33
Matthew 28:8-15

April 7

Acts 2:36-41
John 20:11-18

April 8

Acts 3:1-10
Luke 24:13-35

April 9

Acts 3:11-26
Luke 24:35-48

April 10

Acts 4:1-12
John 21:1-14

April 11

Acts 4:13-21
Mark 16:9-15

April 12

*2nd Sunday of Easter,
Divine Mercy Sunday*
Acts 4:32-35
Psalm 118:2-4, 13-15,
22-24
1 John 5:1-6
John 20:19-31



Father and maker of all,
you adorn all creation with splendor and beauty,
and fashion human lives in your image and likeness.
Awaken in every heart reverence for the work of your
hands and renew among your people
a readiness to nurture and sustain your precious gift
of life.

Grant this through Our Lord
Jesus Christ, your Son who lives and reigns with you
in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God Forever and ever.
Amen.

THIS WEEK HOLY CHILD PARISH

Saturday, April 4, Holy Saturday, Vigil of Easter

- ✙ 10:30 AM Blessing of Baskets @ St. Mary's
- ✙ 12:00 PM Blessing of Baskets @ Holy Child
- ✙ 12:30 PM Altar Server Practice for Vigil
- ✙ 8:00 PM Easter Vigil Mass
- ✙ Refreshments & Fellowship in HC Hall after Mass
- ✙ Collection for the Care and Education of Priests

Sunday, April 5th, Easter Sunday

- ✙ 7:00 AM Mass at St. Mary's
- ✙ 9:00 AM Mass at Holy Child
- ✙ 11:15 AM Mass at Holy Child
- ✙ Collection for the Care and Education of Priests

Monday, April 6

- ✙ No Mass
- ✙ 6:30 PM Bingo at St. Mary's

Tuesday, April 7

- ✙ No Mass

Wednesday, April 8

- ✙ No Mass
- ✙ Office Closed
- ✙ 5:00 PM Girl of the Month, H. C. Hall

Thursday, April 9

- ✙ 12:00 PM Mass at Holy Child
- ✙ 6:30 PM Liturgical Ministry Coordinators in Parish Hall

Friday, April 10

- ✙ 8:30 AM Mass at Holy Child

Saturday, April 11

- ✙ 5:00 PM Kitchen opens at H.C. Hall
- ✙ 6:30 PM Bingo in Holy Child Hall

Sunday, April 12th, 2nd Sunday of Easter, Divine Mercy

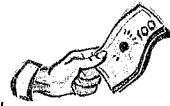
- ✙ 10:00 AM PREP
- ✙ 2 PM – 3PM Divine Mercy Chaplet and Exposition/Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament at St. Mary's
- ✙ 2:30 PM – 3 PM Confessions and Social to follow

2015 Holy Child Parish Lottery Winners

Date	Winning Number	Amount Won
3/23	535	\$50.00
3/24	514	\$50.00
3/25	173	\$50.00
3/26	778	No Winner
3/27	690	No Winner
3/28	441	No Winner
3/29	526	\$1000.00

Gifts to Your Parish

March 28 & 29



Sunday Envelopes: \$5525.30
Loose: \$357.50

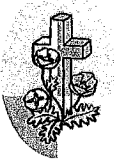
Church Dues: \$20.00 Fuel: \$10.00 Easter: \$56.50
Easter Flowers: \$355.00 Tax/Ins: \$20.00
Ash Wednesday: \$5.00 Holy Thursday: \$40.00
Total: \$6389.30

Thank you! Your stewardship and generosity to your parish are needed and greatly appreciated. The amount needed from our weekly collections to meet our budget is \$4893.85.

In addition, we received \$55.00 for the Care and Education of Priests and \$90.00 for Rice Bowl and \$27.00 for the Holy Land. This money is sent to the Diocese of Scranton.

PLEASE PRAY.....

We pray, always, for deceased parishioners, family, friends, and benefactors. May their souls and the souls of all the faithful departed rest in peace.



For those serving our country:
Lord, hold our troops in your loving hands. Protect them as they protect us. Bless them and their families in our time of need. We ask this in the name of Jesus our Lord and Savior. Amen.

For those who are ill and their caregivers:

Sis Seiser, Jean Leiboff, Pat Cole, Jeffrey Seeley, Patricia Kaminski, John McCarthy, Christine Wilcox, Ron Andrews, Ardith Matreski, Nancy Bullock, Michael Rumsey, Linda Kichline, Joe Alampi, Kay Gallagher, Patty Vljic, Ken Riseborough, Charlotte Von Hendy, Janet Warren, Cathy Alampi, Dee Borden, Bill Brennan, Linda Roupp, Ron Wood, Celia Levindofski, Charles Shedden, Vincent LaDalia, Mary Ann Bacard, Sis Sandstrom, Edwin Rosa, Maryann Thomas, Bonnie Casselberry, Allison Orchowski, Gary Johnson, Connie Leone, Lloyd Barrett, Dawn Egan, Eleanor Brion, Kathleen Evans, Carol Folcarelli, Desiree Bleam, Dennis Bogaczyk, Pete Hall, Carter Goodwin, Jeannie Leone, Bryan Augustine, Nancy Matthews, Anna Marie Mimplitsch, Anna Friedmann, Carol Knable, Benjamin Alessi, and family, friends and parishioners in nursing homes. Please call the parish office to add names of those for whom you wish us to pray or to remove names as needed.

To respect our parishioners' privacy, please ask them before having their names printed in the bulletin.

Easter Flowers Donations In Memory/Honor of...

Mr. Lawrence Mitchell – Mitchell Parents, Mitchell Brothers and Sisters-in-law, Son, Larry Mitchell

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Leone – Dominic and Monica Leone and Frank and Katz Nowak

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Mrs. Lzona Winder – Bill, Doug, and Mickey Winder, Martha and Retaby Lzona, Ernest and Lee Boinski, Forgotten Souls

Barbara Stoudt – Robert Stoudt Jr., Frank Frederick, Arline VanValkner, Deceased of Morley Family

Mrs. Eleanor Augustine

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Mr. Floyd Harzinski – Isabelle Harzinski, Mary Harzinski

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Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Stieh

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Mr. Richard Mussler

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Hmel – Mae and John Hmel, Lillian and John Dynan

Mrs. Margaret Horton – Jim Cooley, David Horton, Collins Family

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Parz – Edward and Prudence Duffy, Robert and Jeanette Parz

Terresa M. Thompson – Margaret and George Loscalzo

Mr. Francis Jertzak – Leonore Jertzak

Mrs. Thomas Jessup – Laous and Margie Manskowski, Eugene Jessup and all deceased family members

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Nicholas, Sr. – Raymond, Catherine and Robert O'Donnell, Tony and Mary Nicholas

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Vlajic – Deceased members of the Tarszowicz and Vlajic Families

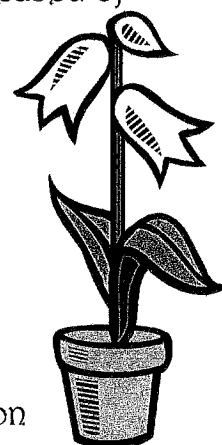
Mr. and Mrs. Antony Stager – Rose Perry and France Stager

Mr. and Mrs. David Slusser – Cook and Slusser Families

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Easter Flowers Donations In Memory/Honor of...

Art and Janz Mahonski – parents

Ronald and Susan Signor – Harold and Gladys Dahlgren, Frank and Helen Signor

Kathryn Wasowicz – Stan and Betty Wasowicz, Barbara White

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Mr. Paul Plowcha – Charlene Plowcha

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Evelyn Fredrick – Fredrick and Brooks Families, Mitchell and Novitski Families

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Janet and James Warren – Mr. and Mrs. James R. Warren, Mr. and Mrs. Phil Spenser, Sister Ignatious, Leonard and Warren Families

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Mrs. Lottie Stevens – Ross Stevens, Alice and Alex Patt, May and Ezla Stevens

Mrs. George Silvanzy – George Silvanzy

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Theresa Kaminski – Martha Kaminski, Adam Kaminski, Joseph Kaminski

Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Kopchinski – Cory Kopchinski, Granny and Pop Smith, Dot and Henry Kopchinski, Grandma and Grandpop Pultro

Ms. Ruth Manning – Robert Manning, Jr. and Catherine Berlin

Mrs. Mary Wagner – Eileen Brooks, Loretta Wagner, Elizabeth Butkiewicz, Evelyn Diaz

Mr. Frank Zdrojewski – Michalina Zdrojewski and Joseph Strikzy

Mr. Roger Reiss – June Landy, Mildred Reiss, Lilian Svododa, Sherry Reiss, Lucy Sefranco

Brad and Linda Brown – Maurice Copello, Roscoe and Thelma Brown, Carolyn Jaquish Bond, Rev. Joseph Hornick

Easter Flowers Donations In Memory/Honor of...



Robert and Florznez Mztarko – Walter and Anna Tokarz
 Frank and Yolanda Tacka – Deceased members of Frzedgrand, Tacka,
 and Gruzlarski families and George and Marion Snyder
 Bernard and Marie Sabol – Deceased members of Sabol and Miller families
 Mr. and Mrs. Lucien Mitcheltree – Ernest and Anna Russo, Larry H. Green,
 Arthur and Andrez Mitcheltree
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 Valorie West

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Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Draxler – Draxler, Santardne, and Coleman Families

Pat Pfeifer – Sarah Pfeifer, Mr. and Mrs. Aloysius A. Pfeifer, Ruth Numick, Clayton Cross
 and Linda Mullen

Mr. and Mrs. David Hilfiger – Leo Frederick, Catherine McNamara, Tom McNamara

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Marie Moroschok – Helen and Frank Signor, Gublo/Signor Family, Frank Moroschok, Fr.
 Robert Sandford

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Clinton and Shirley Ogden

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kueharski – Mary and John Kudlak, Frances and William Kueharski
 Wlizabeth, Virginia and John Kudlak

Robert Signor – Anna and Mary Signor

Thomas and Theresa Mahosky

Leonard and Rose Mahosky

Gary and Leona Roberto – Harold Morley, Edith and Clarence Roberto

Mary Ann Kendrick – Angelina Bubacz

Chaplet and Exposition/Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament



2:00 PM - 3:00 PM

St. Mary of Czestochowa

Sunday, 4/12

Confessions 2:30PM - 3PM

Social in St. Mary's Hall

During the course of Jesus' revelations to Saint Faustina on the Divine Mercy, He asked on numerous occasions that a feast day be dedicated to the Divine Mercy and that this feast be celebrated on the Sunday after Easter.

The liturgical texts of that day, the 2nd Sunday of Easter, concern the institution of the Sacrament of Penance, the Tribunal of the Divine Mercy, and are thus already suited to the request of Our Lord. This Feast, which had already been granted to the nation of Poland and been celebrated within Vatican City, was granted to the Universal Church by Pope John Paul II on the occasion of the canonization of St. Faustina on April 30, 2000. In a decree dated May 23, 2000, the Congregation for Divine Worship and the Discipline of the Sacraments stated that "throughout the world the Second Sunday of Easter will receive the name Divine Mercy Sunday, a perennial invitation to the Christian world to face, with confidence in divine benevolence, the difficulties and trials that mankind will experience in the years to come."

Daily Mass Change: Beginning in May, Daily Mass will be at St. Mary's in Blossburg on **both** Tuesday and Thursday at 12:00 PM. Daily Mass on Monday and Friday will remain at Holy Child Church in Mansfield. This schedule will remain in effect until Fall.

*Thank
You*

Many thanks to all who supported the simple suppers following Stations of the Cross. The soups and breads were delicious. All monetary donations went to the local food pantries.

The word "Easter" comes from Old English, meaning simply the "East." The sun which rises in the East, bringing light, warmth and hope, is a symbol for the Christian of the rising Christ, who is the true Light of the world. The **Paschal Candle** is a central symbol of this divine light, which is Christ. It is kept near the ambo throughout Easter Time, and lit for all liturgical celebrations.

Easter is the celebration of the **Lord's resurrection** from the dead, culminating in his Ascension to the Father and sending of the Holy Spirit upon the Church. There are **50 days** of Easter from the first Sunday to Pentecost. It is characterized, above all, by the joy of glorified life and the victory over death, expressed most fully in the great resounding cry of the Christian: Alleluia! All faith flows from faith in the resurrection: "If Christ has not been raised, then empty is our preaching; empty, too, is your faith." (1 Cor 15:14) (USCCB)

Why a Paschal Candle?

The Paschal candle represents Christ, the Light of the World.

The pure beeswax of which the candle is made represents the sinless Christ who was formed in the womb of His Mother. The wick signifies His humanity, the flame, His Divine Nature, both soul and body.

Five grains of incense inserted into the candle in the form of a cross recall the aromatic spices with which His Sacred Body was prepared for the tomb, and of the five wounds in His hands, feet, and side.

During the Easter Vigil on Holy Saturday night the priest or deacon carries the candle in procession into the dark church. A new fire, symbolizing our eternal life in Christ, is kindled which lights the candle. The candle, representing Christ himself, is blessed by the priest who then inscribes in it a cross, the first letters and last of the Greek alphabet, (Alpha and Omega 'the beginning and the end')

"Do not abandon yourselves to despair. We are the Easter people and hallelujah is our song."

John Paul the Great

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THANK YOU...

To everyone who delivered the Live Stations to our parish this Lenten season. Your dedication to the parish and passion for Christ's Passion showed itself in the performance.

Cast Members:

Curt Brennan, Sara Clauto, Ben Drexler, Maria Finch, Francis King, Peter Lupkowski, Katherine Nealen, Mackenzie Nealen, Ray Nealen, Dave Nearhoof, and Carly Yoder.

Readers:

Samantha Leinhard and Pam Thomas

Back-Stage Coordinator:

Angela Leinhard

Musicians:

Jessica Hansen, Chloe Higgins, P.J. Mansfield, and Tayana Woodton

Costumes:

Sirina Wasowicz

Artist (Veronica's Cloth)

Ann Dorsey

Craftsman (The Cross of Jesus)

Steve Tokarz

Ushers:

Knights of Columbus Frank Wasowicz and Jim Weiskopff

Host:

The Good Samaritans



The Good Samaritan Society would like to announce the winners of this year's Easter Raffle:

1st \$200.00 Cash - Joan MacBlane

2nd - \$100.00 Wal-Mart Gift Card - Bob Swinsick

3rd - Basket of Groceries - Terry Thompson

4th Easter Basket - JoAnn Wemesfelder

5th Homemade Afghan - Marge Morgan

Congratulations!

