



Holy Child

HOLY CHILD CATHOLIC PARISH

Rev. Bryan Wright, Pastor

**Rita Hanson, Financial Secretary
Jen Minnich, Parish Secretary
Sarah Hazelton, DRE**

Rectory Office Hours: 9 AM – 4:00 PM

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday

Office closed on Wednesday

Cemetery Business Hours:

By Appointment

Thursday and Friday

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St. Mary of Czestochowa

Mission Statement: Holy Child Parish

United with the Pope, we the members of Holy Child Parish seek to be a welcoming church, which fosters spiritual development and expresses charity by living in word and deed the life of Christ. Under the leadership of the bishop, our goals are to implement effective ministries through word, worship, and the sacraments, to enhance the spiritual growth of our parish family, and to encourage, through works of love and faith, the unity of the Church.

November 13, 2016 33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sacraments:

Reconciliation: Confessions are heard on Saturdays at 3:30 PM at Holy Child and at 7:00 PM at St. Mary of Czestochowa. For other times, call the church office to make an appointment.

Baptism: Please call the church office to make arrangements to meet with the pastor and schedule the time and date of the ceremony.

Matrimony: Couples planning to marry should contact their Pastor at least 6 months before the planned wedding date.

Anointing of the Sick: Anointing and Holy Communion are available to the infirmed and homebound. Families are asked to notify the church office to arrange a visit.

New Parishioners

Holy Child Parish welcomes you! New members are asked to register by contacting the Parish Office. Registration is a requirement for admission to our religious education programs and reception of the Sacraments of Baptism, First Penance, Confirmation, and Matrimony.

Parish Contacts:

Director of Religious Education/Youth Director
Sarah Hazelton 570-549-8174

Evangelization Committee:

Joan Miller 570-662-3594

Faith Sharing:

Alan Parrotte 570-549-2592

Good Neighbors:

Francis Murphy 570-835-5387

Good Samaritans:

Doris Partyka 570-324-2295

Health Ministry:

Dotty Welsh 570-662-2057

Knights of Columbus, MU Council:

Nick Musshafen 570-537-6620

Knights of Columbus, Blossburg Council:

Jim Weiskopff 570-662-7133

Ladies Guild:

Patty Hutcheson 570-662-2346

Mansfield University Campus Minister:

Courtney Hull 570-404-8435

Medical Equipment Loaning Program:

Dotty Welsh 570-662-2057

RCIA: Ken Auker 570-529-1859

Mass Intentions for this Week

Saturday, November 12

4:00 PM at Holy Child

Diane Greer by Gale, Shannon and Bill

6:00 PM at St. Mary of Czestochowa

All Souls

Sunday, November 13th, 33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:00 AM at Holy Child

Charlene Plowcha by Paul and Family

11:15 AM at Holy Child

All Parishioners

Monday, November 14

12:10 PM at St. Mary's

Isabelle Harzinski by Pat Andrews & Kathy Parmley

Tuesday, November 15

12:10 PM at St. Mary's

John Sander by Don Wivell & Family

Wednesday, November 16

No Mass

Thursday, November 17

6:00 PM Mass at Holy Child

Hazel Dalton by Family

Friday, November 18

8:30 AM Mass at Holy Child

Marjorie Renzo by Rita & Mary Bustin

Saturday, November 19

4:00 PM at Holy Child

All Parishioners

6:00 PM at St. Mary of Czestochowa

All Souls

Sunday, November 20th, Our Lord Jesus Christ,

King of the Universe

9:00 AM at Holy Child

Dorothy & John Baker by Daughters

11:15 AM at Holy Child

Dennis Mizdail by The Mizdail Family



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

The Sanctuary Light is offered this week (November 13) in memory of deceased members of Holy Child Parish, at St. Mary's in Blossburg.

The Sanctuary Light at Holy Child in Mansfield is offered for Peggy Padden by Good Neighbors.

Bingo workers for November 19: Linda Brown, Connie Williammee, Sara Williammee, Rita Hanson

Thanksgiving door prizes!!

Kitchen workers for November 19: Prep Parents:

Pequignot, Lightner and Oakes

Collection Counters:

November 13: Tom and Mary Hohman

November 20: Dick Colegrove and Francis Murphy

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION:

Confessions are heard on Saturdays

at 3:30 PM at Holy Child

at 7:00 PM at St. Mary of Czestochowa

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

Ministers of the Altar

for this weekend November 12 & 13

4:00 PM Saturday at Holy Child

Readers: Joe Maresco

Servers: Tristan Templeman

E. Min: Maryann Maresco

6:00 PM Saturday at St. Mary's

Readers: Pam Thomas

Servers: Nealens

E. Min: Cecelia Tokarz

9:00 AM Sunday at Holy Child

Readers: Brenda Brewster, Anne Kaminski

Servers: Michael and Daniel Harman

E. Min: Alan Parrotte

11:15 AM Sunday at Holy Child

Readers: Liz and Darlene Buck

Servers: Brendan Nash

E. Min: Donna Brennan

Ministers of the Altar

for next weekend November 19 & 20

4:00 PM Saturday at Holy Child

Readers: **Need Volunteer**

Servers: Marissa and Aubrey Griess

E. Min: Scott DiMarco

6:00 PM Saturday at St. Mary's

Readers: Jan Yoder

Servers: Bill Lupkowski

E. Min: Peter Lupkowski

9:00 AM Sunday at Holy Child

Readers: Jim Weiskopff, Brenda Brewster

Servers: Parker & Bridger Brewster

E. Min: Ann Monaghan

11:15 AM Sunday at Holy Child

Readers: Bob Wood

Servers: Brendan Nash

E. Min: Bill Page

Readings

November 13

THIRTY-THIRD SUNDAY
IN ORDINARY TIME

Mal 3:19-20a

Psalm 98:5-9

2 Thes 3:7-12

Luke 21:5-19

November 14

Weekday [33]

Rv 1:1-4, 2:1-5

Luke 18:35-43

November 15

Weekday [33]

Rv 3:1-6, 14-22

Luke 19:1-10

November 16

Weekday [33]

Rv 4:1-11

Luke 19:11-28

November 17

St. Elizabeth of Hungary

Rv 5:1-10

Luke 19:41-44

November 18

Dedication of the
Basilicas of Saints Peter
and Paul, Apostles

Rv 10:8-11

Luke 19:45-48

November 19

Weekday [33]

Rv 11: 4-12

Luke 20:27-40

November 20

OUR LORD JESUS
CHRIST, KING OF THE
UNIVERSE

2 Samuel 5:1-3

Psalm 122:1-5

2 Col 1:12-20

Luke 23:35-43

Prayer for Life

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, November 12

- ✙ 5:00 PM Kitchen opens at Holy Child
- ✙ 6:15 PM Bingo at Holy Child Hall

Sunday, November 13th, 33rd Sunday in Ordinary

Time

- ✙ 10:00 AM Religious Ed
- ✙ 10:00 AM Patriotic Rosary in Holy Child Church

Monday, November 14

- ✙ 12:10 PM Mass at St. Mary's
- ✙ 6:30 PM Bingo at St. Mary's

Tuesday, November 15

- ✙ 12:10 PM Mass at St. Mary's

Wednesday, November 16

- ✙ No Mass

Thursday, November 17

- ✙ 6:00 PM Mass at Holy Child

Friday, November 18

- ✙ 8:30 AM Mass at Holy Child

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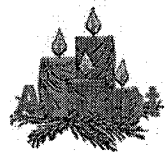
Sunday, November 20th, Our Lord Jesus Christ,

King of the Universe

- ✙ 10:00 AM Religious Ed

This Weekend is "Text to Give"

This Sunday is "Text to Give" Weekend throughout the Diocese. Parishioners who haven't made a pledge or a gift – or who wish to increase their gift – will be able to do so by texting Appeal on their cell phones to the number 91999.

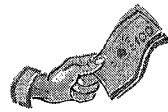


Let us Pray for Each Other

Advent Prayer Partners

Next weekend Nov. 19 & 20, to be a prayer partner, fill out a paper in the pew or in the vestibule, and **place it in the basket** in the vestibule.

On the First Sunday of Advent, Nov 26th and 27th, pick a name from the **basket** and then begin to pray for your Advent Prayer Partner.



Gifts to Your Parish

November 5 & 6

Sunday Envelopes: \$ 5,255.00
Loose: \$ 430.75

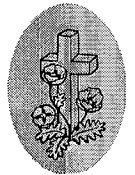
Church Dues: \$20.00 Fuel: \$45.00
Holy Day: \$700.02 Christmas: \$5.00
Thanksgiving Charity: \$85.00 Initial Offering: \$3.00
Advent \$5.00 Flower Donations: \$5.00
Total: \$5108.25

Thank you! Your stewardship and generosity to your parish are needed and greatly appreciated. \$4890.38 is the amount needed for our weekly collections to meet budgeted expenses.

In addition, we received \$10.00 for Care and Education of Priests and \$3.50 for Religious Retirement. 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 need special prayers:

- Pat Cole
- Theresa Kaminski
- Elijah Dalton
- Rhonda Longacre
- Desiree Bleam

Please call the office to add names of those who are in need of prayer due to sudden illness, upcoming surgery, hospital stay or those who are experiencing a hardship. We would like to keep the names on our prayer list for a few weeks so that parishioners can pray for those individuals especially.

To respect our parishioners' privacy, please ask and specify if their names are to be put in the bulletin or added to the prayer chain or both.

EXTRAORDINARY JUBILEE OF MERCY

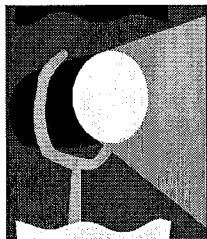
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"IT WILL BE A HOLY YEAR OF MERCY."

Spiritual Works of Mercy

PRAYING FOR THE LIVING AND THE DEAD

Prayer is one of the most powerful ways we can support others. Joining together in prayer for the living and the dead entrusts us all into God's care.



Confirmation Candidate Spotlight

Name: Lizzi Welch

Grade: 9th

Favorite Saint: St. Agatha

Best Service Project: Bingo

Favorite Holiday: Christmas

Hobbies: Sports

Best Vacation Spot: Florida

Favorite Food: Chicken

Future Goals: Go to college

Ministry interested in: Holy Child



COMING SOON!

The Best Black Friday Deal Ever!!!

Join us from 6 pm to 8 pm on Friday November 25, 2016 in Holy Child Church Hall. Make an Advent Wreath with all fresh greens, pinecones and decorating materials which are provided.

Start the Advent Season out right!

Space is limited, so call the office at (570)662-3568 to reserve your spot. The recommended donation is \$10 per wreath...**WHAT A DEAL!**

Holy Child 14th Annual Community Thanksgiving Dinner



Thursday, November 24th, Noon to 2 PM in Holy Child Hall. Enjoy turkey and all the trimmings free of charge. This is a gift from our parish community to our families, friends and neighbors. The event is financed by the Thanksgiving Charity envelopes found in your packet and by donations from parish organizations.

We ask that reservations be made by Monday, Nov. 21st. We also need volunteers to help. If you would like to attend the dinner or if you're able to help in any way, please fill out the form below and drop into the collection basket or contact the office by call or email.

Thanksgiving Dinner, 2016

___ My family will attend the dinner (# _____)

___ My family would like to pick up # _____ meals.
(Please pick up your meals from 11 – 11:30 AM)

___ I/we will donate a dessert. (Please note: all desserts must be delivered to Holy Child Hall on Wednesday or no later than **9AM** on Thanksgiving morning.)

___ I/we can help with food prep from 8 – 10 AM

___ I/we can help with food prep from 10 AM – Noon

___ I/we can help with serving from Noon – 2 PM

___ I/we can help with cleanup from 1 PM – 3 PM

Name: _____

Phone #: _____

Holy Child Lottery

\$25.00

Drawing January – March 2017

Payouts:

Monday – Friday: \$50.00

Saturday: \$150.00

Sunday*: \$200.00

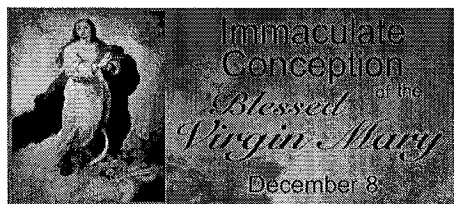
*except dates listed below

Sunday, January 1 - \$1000

Sunday, February 5 - \$500

Sunday, March 5 - \$500

Tickets are on sale now; call the office or stop by to pick some up.



Holy Day of Obligation Mass Schedule

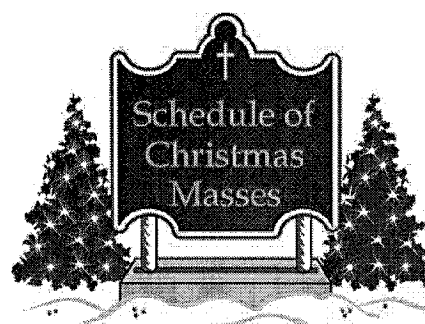
Wednesday, December 7

6 PM at Holy Child

Thursday, December 8

12:10 PM at St. Mary's

6 PM at Holy Child



Saturday, December 24

4 PM at Holy Child

8 PM at St. Mary's

Midnight at Holy Child

Sunday, December 25

10 AM at Holy Child

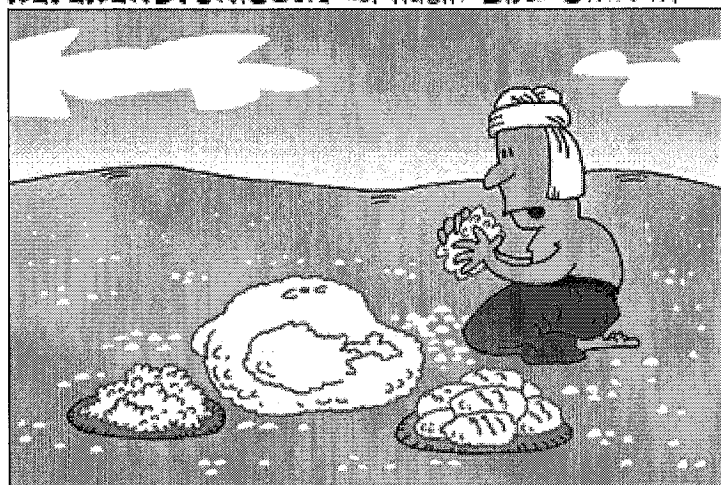
Solemnity of Mary, Holy Mother of God

Regular Weekend Mass Schedule

Decorating Holy Child scheduled for Friday, December 23rd at 4 PM; help is needed to beautify the Church

The Diocese of Scranton would like to invite those interested to a Social Concern/Respect Life Meeting. Tuesday, November 29th from 6:30 PM – 8 PM at St. Joseph the Worker Parish in Williamsport. If you have any questions, please contact Richard DeBona at 570-207-2213 ext. 1130.

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THANKSGIVING IN THE WILDERNESS

Family Caregiver Support Program

Are you taking care of a loved one and need some help? Family Caregiver Support Program may be able to help. Based on your situation, we may be able to help with: Reimbursement for caregiving expenses, home modifications, support groups, assistance in completing applications for benefits and insurance forms, training in caregiving skills, and others. For more information, please contact the Area Agency on Aging, Inc. at 1-800-822-6793.

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If you have borrowed anything from the Health Ministry's medical equipment and are no longer in need of it, kindly return it soon or call Dotty at 662-2057.



Help us reach our Annual Appeal goal of \$30,000. Watch the thermometer in the back of both churches for a weekly update of our progress.

Our pledge total to date is \$20,205.00 (67% of our goal).

Pray for our Country



Please join your fellow parishioners including Religious Ed Students to pray the Patriotic Rosary on Sunday, Nov. 13th at 10 AM in Holy Child Church.

Seeds of Hope needs our help! There is a great need for diapers sizes 2, 3, 4 and 5. Also cleaning supplies are needed. Call Lillian Fox for more information at 570-772-3792.