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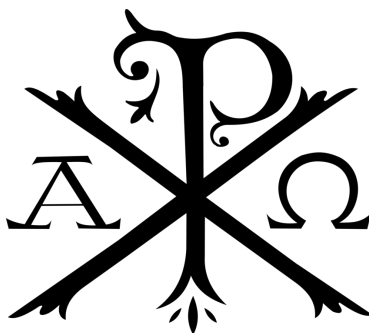


Reverend Bryan B. Wright
Pastor



Saint Mary of Częstochowa Church
144 St Mary's St, Blossburg, PA

10TH SUNDAY ORDINARY TIME June 9, 2024



PARISH OFFICE
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PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

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.

SACRAMENTS

Baptism: Please call the Parish Office to schedule a meeting with the Pastor and to schedule the ceremony.

Reconciliation: Confessions are heard on:

- Saturdays: 2:15-3:00 pm Holy Child Church
- First Fridays: 9:00-10:00 am Holy Child Church
- First Saturdays: 10:00-11:00 am Saint Mary's Church
- By appointment: please contact the Parish Office.

Holy Communion: Those preparing to receive Holy Communion for the first time are asked to call the Parish Office.

Matrimony: Couples should contact their Pastor at least six months before the planned wedding date.

Anointing of the Sick: For the infirm & homebound. Please contact the Parish Office to arrange a visit.

New Parishioners: Welcome to Holy Child Parish! New parishioners are asked to register by contacting the Parish Office. Registration is required for our religious education programs and for the Sacraments of Baptism, First Reconciliation, Confirmation, and Matrimony.

WEEKEND MASSES

Saturday	4:00 PM	Holy Child
Sunday	9:00 AM	Saint Mary's
Sunday	11:15 AM	Holy Child

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Saturday	3:00 PM	Holy Child
Sunday	8:30 AM	Saint Mary's
Sunday	10:45 AM	Holy Child
Monday	11:30 AM	Saint Mary's
Tuesday	11:30 AM	Saint Mary's
Thursday	5:15 PM	Holy Child
Friday	8:00 AM	Holy Child



DEVOTIONAL PRAYERS

Monday	12:00 PM	Saint Mary's	The Angelus
Monday	12:45 PM	Saint Mary's	Miraculous Medal
Tuesday	12:00 PM	Saint Mary's	The Angelus
Tuesday	12:45 PM	Saint Mary's	Saint Jude
Thursday	6:00 PM	Holy Child	The Angelus

PARISH CONTACTS

- Financial Secretary: Darlene Buck 570-662-3568
- Secretary: Cara Clementi 570-662-3568
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- Director of Religious Education: Darlene Buck 570-540-1332
catholic.dre.holychild@gmail.com
- Good Samaritans: Parish Office, 570-662-3637
- Health Ministry & Medical Equipment Loaning:
Dotty Welsh 570-662-2057
- Knights of Columbus: Scott DiMarco; srdimarco@hotmail.com
- Ladies Guild: Patty Hutcheson 570-662-2034
- St. Mary's Hall: 638-2783 Holy Child Hall: 662-9996

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

~ prior to all Masses ~



MASS SCHEDULE & INTENTIONS

Saturday, June 8 VIGIL, 10TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
4:00 pm, Holy Child: † Brad Brown (by The Family)

Sunday, June 9 10TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
9:00 am, St. Mary's: † Parishioners
11:15 am, Holy Child: † JoAnn Wemesfelder
(by The Farrell Family)

Monday, June 10 Weekday
12:10 pm, St. Mary's: † George & John Manikowski
(by cousins Margie and Billy Telech)

Tuesday, June 11 *St. Barnabas, Apostle*
12:10 pm, St. Mary's: † Raymond Frederick (by Yolanda Tacka)

Wednesday, June 12 Weekday
12:10 pm, Holy Child: † Bruce Hoyt (by the Family)

Thursday, June 13 *St. Anthony of Padua, Priest, Doctor of the Church*
8:30 am, Holy Child: Emily & Tom Santaniello
(by Cara Clementi)

Friday, June 14 Weekday
8:30 am, Holy Child: † Joan Flesch (by Scott & Dawn Egan)

Saturday, June 15 VIGIL, 11TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
4:00 pm, Holy Child: All Fathers

Sunday, June 16 11TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
9:00 am, St. Mary's: All Fathers
11:15 am, Holy Child: All Fathers



SANCTUARY LIGHT INTENTIONS: THIS WEEK

Saint Mary's: † Raymond Frederick (by Yolanda Tacka)
Holy Child: † JoAnn Wemesfelder (by The Farrell Family)
The Sanctuary Light burns to remind us of the Real Presence of Christ reserved in the tabernacle.



SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

SATURDAYS—2:15 PM—HOLY CHILD CHURCH
FIRST FRIDAYS—9:00 AM—HOLY CHILD CHURCH
FIRST SATURDAYS—10:00 AM—ST. MARY'S CHURCH

PARISH OFFERINGS RECEIVED MAY 27-JUN 2. THANK YOU!

Sunday Envelopes	\$4478.00
Loose	523.00
Summer Drive	20.00
Parish Charity	20.00
Dues	60.00
Tax & Insurance	20.00
Total:	\$5121.00
Cemetery Maintenance:	222.00
Care & Education of Priests	533.00

Thank you for your generosity!

Pray the Rosary Every Day

PRAYER LIST

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. For those who need special prayers:

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| * Kirk Euson | * Christopher Mortensen |
| * Richard Faber | * Terri Nash |
| * Bernice Frederick | * Richard Niemczyk |
| * Catherine Gallagher | * Sandy Parker |
| * Lance Hall | * Ethel Sandstrom |
| * Ann King | * Lori Sherant |
| * Tony Lupkowski | * Kenneth Simpson |
| * Tom MacBlane | * Yolanda Tacka |
| * Jane Mahonski | * Jack Watson |

We ask this in the name of Jesus, our Lord and Savior. Amen.



To request prayer for someone (e.g. due to illness, surgery, hardship, other) please contact the Parish Office. To respect parishioners' privacy, please ask and specify if their names are to be put in the bulletin, added to the Prayer Chain, or both.

"SPARE A PRAYER" PRAYER CHAIN

Contact: Maryjane Seifried at seifriedmaryjane@gmail.com or 549-7550 or Dotty Welsh at dhjrw@ptd.net or 662-2057.

Our Lord is always listening.

VISITS TO THE HOMEBOUND

If you or someone you know would like to receive Holy Communion, a pastoral visit, or a mailed bulletin, please contact the Parish Office.

Would you or someone you know enjoy a friendly visit, a partner to play cards or games with, someone to read to them, or simply keep company? As an outreach of Marian Ministries, Mary Hohman has offered to visit local residents and nursing homes, to spend time with people who may feel alone. Contact Mary at (717) 203-9090.



SCRIPTURE READINGS

Sun 6/9	Gn 3:9-15 Ps 130:1-8 2 Cor 4:13—5:1 Mk 3:20-35
Mon 6/10	1 Kgs 17:1-6 Ps 121:1b-8 Mt 5:1-12
Tue 6/11	Acts 11:21b-26;13:1-3 Ps 98:1-6 Mt 5:13-16
Wed 6/12	1 Kgs 18:20-39 Ps 16:1-2,4-5,8,11 Mt 5:17-19
Thu 6/13	1 Kgs 18:41-46 Ps 65:10-13 Mt 5:20-26
Fri 6/14	1 Kgs 19:9a,11-16 Ps 27:7-9c,13-14 Mt 5:27-32
Sat 6/15	1 Kgs 19:19-21 Ps 16:1b-2a,5,7-10 Mt 5:33-37
Sun 6/16	Ez 17:22-24 Ps 92:2-3,13-16 2 Cor 5:6-10 Mk 4:26-34

MARK YOUR CALENDAR

Jun 9: Lectio Bible Study after 11:15 am Mass, Holy Child
Jun 9: KofC Council 6:30 pm, Holy Child Hall



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS CORPUS CHRISTI EUCHARISTIC PROCESSION



Seventy Catholics participated in last Sunday's Corpus Christi Eucharistic procession lead by Father Bryan, pastor of Holy Child Church, Mansfield, following the 11:15 Mass.

The procession started in the church with the incensing of the Blessed Sacrament and moved outside to visit three altars set along the processional route. The first altar was dedicated to Mary, the Mother of God; the second, to The Sacred Heart of Jesus and the third, to Joseph, the foster father of Jesus. The Procession then returned to the church for final benediction and blessing. Attendees were treated to an abundant feast provided by the Knights and parishioners.

Members of the Mansfield University Knights of Columbus carried the canopy covering the Blessed Sacrament. The canopy symbolized the tent used to protect the Ark of the Covenant as the Israelites wandered in the desert during their trek to the land of milk and honey.



VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Lectio Bible Study Set-up

Beginning June 16th through the Summer... volunteers are needed to pick-up and set-up the Dunkin Donuts order (coffee and food) prior to Lectio Bible Study on Sundays. Please contact the Parish Office 570-662-3568



ANNUAL MASS

The annual Mass at the DeGuzman residence will be on Thursday, June 20th at 6:00 pm.

Bring a dish or snack to pass and a lawn chair. All are welcome! Questions? Call 570-376-5427.

Directions: 287 North, 249 to Keeneyville, turn right to Osceola. 1 1/2 miles to Box 818.



ROSARY BEFORE MASS

SUNDAY, JUNE 29 & 30, HOLY CHILD CHURCH

The Knights will lead us in praying the Rosary before the 4pm and 11:15am Masses at Holy Child Church.



MOVING WALL VIETNAM MEMORIAL— GATHERING OF PARISHIONERS FOR PRAYER WEDNESDAY, JULY 10, 7:00 PM

Please join the Knights for a gathering of parishioners and friends at the Moving Wall Vietnam Memorial when it comes to Lawrenceville in July.

HEALTH MINISTRY—COLD WATER THERAPY MACHINE NOW AVAILABLE

Your Health Ministry has purchased a wonderful cold water therapy machine for use when one has knee, hip, shoulder, or ankle surgery. It provides wonderful convenient programmable cold applications. Contact Dotty Welsh at 662-2057 to borrow it for your convalescence.



SPIRITUAL ADOPTION BABY SHOWER—THANK YOU!

Thank you to everyone who provided nine months of prayer during the Spiritual Adoption Program and gifts for our Baby Shower. We received 82 gifts of baby wipes, sippy cups, crib sheets, & monetary donations for Heart of Tioga! Thank you!

HEART OF TIOGA 2024 BABY BOTTLE CAMPAIGN

Bottles have been placed in both churches. Please take one & fill it with spare coins to support mothers and their babies. Heart of Tioga offers free pregnancy tests, ultrasounds, crisis & non-crisis pregnancy support, pregnancy & parenting classes, maternity & baby supplies, and post-abortion help. All services and supplies are FREE. 14072 Route 6, Mansfield, PA 16933. 570-948-2020.



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24/7 ONLINE NURSE CHAT



IN COMMUNION RITE—Young parishioners from Mansfield and Tioga in communion service at Holy Child Church, Mansfield and shown with the Rev. Martin A. Roche, pastor. In rear, from left: John Wise and James Scott Hall, Mansfield; Joseph Lovejoy, Tioga; Billy Ballard and James Rich, Mansfield; Daniel Hughes, Tioga. Girls in front row are Tina Barrett, Mansfield; Marian Lovejoy, Tioga; Rosemary Rieppel, Mansfield; Connie Lee Zuchowski, Tioga; Adelle Rieppel, Mansfield. Altar boys are Mike Brace, J. J. McMillen, Donald Burnham and Stephen Cunningham, all of Mansfield.

'REMEMBER WHEN?'

Perhaps some of our Parishioners will know someone pictured here. Thanks to Chris Tronccone for sharing this bit of Parish history.

Elmira Star Gazette

May 25, 1956

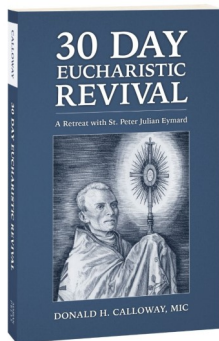
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NATIONAL Eucharistic Revival

"Several years ago, a survey done in the United States revealed that 69% of Catholics no longer believe in the real presence of Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament (Holy Communion). Looking at it from another perspective, this means that only 31% of Catholics in the United States believe in the source and summit of the Christian faith." -Fr. Calloway

Marian Ministries is hosting a book study related to the National Eucharistic Revival. "Our world is hurting. We all need healing, yet many of us are separated from the very source of our strength. Jesus invites us to return to the source and summit of our Faith—the Eucharist. **The National Eucharistic Revival** is a movement to restore understanding and devotion to and worship Jesus in the Eucharist in the U.S.



From June 18 - July 17, we will be reading, discussing, and sharing the book, "30 Day Eucharistic Revival: A Retreat with St. Peter Julian Eymard", written by Fr. Donald H. Calloway, MIC.

Anyone interested in joining the study group can contact Chris Tronccone (570-404-7278 call/text) or Linda Sampson (570-404-2180 call/text) to get on the email list. All participants will be responsible for purchasing their own book.



WEEK OF JUNE 9, 2024

THREE SECRETS TO SHARING THE FAITH BY TRENT HORN

Want to tell others about Catholicism, but don't where to start? Afraid you're not smart, knowledgeable, or outgoing enough? With a few simple tips and a little practice, anyone can be an effective apostle and evangelist.



SACRIFICE | THE CATHOLIC PARENT

Why does the Church teach that we should fast, and what does that mean practically? Turning to the story of St. Gianna Beretta Molla will leave you with the confidence needed to practice fasting as a family.



BALLAD OF BARNABUS BUNDLE | BENJAMIN CELLO | EP. 1

Aunt Rhody loses Old Gray Goose and her potato crop; Benjamin breaks into his savings to help his friend. Aunt Rhody recalls when Barnabas Bundle tore down his barns to build bigger ones.



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SOLEMNITY OF THE SACRED HEART OF JESUS

Friday, June 7th

What is an Enthronement of the Sacred Heart?

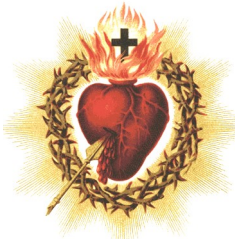
Jesus promised St. Margaret Mary Alacoque that He “will bless the home in which the image of my Sacred Heart shall be exposed and honored.” When we enthrone (display) the image of the Sacred Heart of Jesus in a prominent place and signify that Jesus is the King, friend and brother of the family, we are responding to the invitation of the Church to make our homes “Domestic Churches”, wherein Jesus is the center and source of love for all. As the sanctuary church lamp reminds us of Christ’s presence in the tabernacle, the enthroned image of the Sacred Heart reminds us that Jesus is among us and with us. By this covenant we make our homes and hearts His tabernacle.

We also consecrate ourselves to the Immaculate Heart of Mary who always leads us to her Son. This is the reason why our Blessed Mother should be part of your home life. Through her Immaculate Heart, she leads you to the Sacred Heart of her Son, and He in turn will lead you to the Eucharist where He is truly present, and thus will make of your home not only a house of prayer but indeed, a Marian and Eucharistic shrine. If you do your best, Jesus and His mother will do the rest!

Teaching on Jesus’ Exposed Heart

In an Enthronement ceremony, a blessed picture or a statue of the Sacred Heart of Jesus is used.

Any image is usable, as long as it replicates what St. Margaret Mary described seeing when Our Lord appeared to her:



- Crown of thorns
- A Wound, from the soldier’s spear, showing that our sins hurt Him in the Heart.
- Flames show the intensity of His Love.
- Above the flames, a Cross shows that His Love for us was so great that He died for us.

These are the symbols of His passion. We were redeemed by the cross and we will be saved by it.

Catechesis on the Enthronement

The Enthronement of the Sacred Heart is an Apostolate founded by Father Mateo Crawley-Boevey, SS.CC. to win souls to Christ. It is a crusade to conquer the whole world to the love of the Sacred Heart. The essence of it is Love. It is rooted in scripture. The heart and soul of it is the Eucharist. The Redeeming power of it is the Mass. The goal of it is to unite the tabernacle of the church and the tabernacle of the home in order to make domestic churches of the homes.

The Enthronement Apostolate is rooted in Sacred Scripture and private revelation. The latter in particular refers to our Lord’s encounter with St. Margaret Mary Alacoque in the 17th Century and the many promises he made to those who honor His most Sacred Heart. In the 19th Century, these promises were abridged by an Ohio businessman named Philip Kemper who documented twelve distinct statements (promises) approved by Pope Leo XIII in 1899. Father Mateo had a desire to put into effect all of Christ’s promises and to draw families into intimate relations with Jesus through the Enthronement.

The Preparation

Before inviting Jesus into our homes and proclaiming Him

as the King and Head of our household, we must be well prepared. The real gift of the Enthronement is the awareness of the Living Presence of God in our homes, therefore we prepare our hearts and home with that gift of His coming foremost on our minds. When introducing the King of Love into any home, a forerunner is sent to ensure that the family fully realizes the importance of what is going to take place, and that the ceremony is performed with all the piety and reverence that it deserves. The nine day preparation period begins with a promoter coming to your home to offer support and to explain all aspects of the preparation and the ceremony. The promoter will also bring you a pilgrim picture of our Lady of Perpetual Help and lead the family in praying the Rosary. Mary leads the way for the Kingship of her Son. When you draw close to Mary, she will draw you closer to her Son. This time together will open your hearts and your home to the fullness of grace that the King of Kings wants to give you from His Heart. The greater the preparation the greater the graces.

THE ENTHRONEMENT IS A PUBLIC PROCLAMATION THAT JESUS IS THE KING AND HEAD OF THE HOUSEHOLD.

The Meaning of the Enthronement

The Enthronement of the Sacred Heart means the official and social recognition of the loving kingship of the Heart of Jesus in the Christian family. The family acknowledges this recognition by solemnly installing an image of the Sacred Heart in a place of honor in the home and dedicating itself to Him by an Act of Consecration. The Enthronement of the Sacred Heart is the recognition of the living presence of our Lord in the home, where His Divine Heart, as King of Love, is the center of the family, attracting all its members.

Jesus is invited to participate in all activities of the family. He then sanctifies all the details of home life. By the Enthronement and under the influence of the Sacred Heart, each member learns intimacy with Jesus. Either as a family or individually, each will grow in confidence and love with the One who longs for our love. Thus, the gift of the Enthronement is an awareness of His Living Presence in the family and a source of grace and blessings for the family.

The Enthronement of the Sacred Heart is more than a mere veneration of an image or a transient consecration. It becomes a “way of life”, a sharing of hearts, a permanent state of devotion and love. The home becomes a “Domestic Church” – a place where Jesus is loved and where a family will render reparation to the King of Love.

A Powerful Aid to Pastors

As the Enthronement creates an intimate relationship between the Church and the home, and results in greater love for the Eucharist, so it also creates a close relationship between priests and families. The Enthronement is therefore a powerful aid to the pastor, for by its means the zeal of the flock entrusted to him will be rekindled and sustained. Families in which the Sacred Heart reigns and which nourish the spirit of the Enthronement will be for the pastor a staunch support upon which he can confidently rely.

Because of its great importance, the presence of a priest at the Enthronement has always been urged by the founder of the work and by the Church itself. Whenever possible, it should be presided over by a parish priest, who thus has a splendid opportunity of meeting entire families. Many priests have experienced the beneficial results of these contacts.

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58,000 names listed on the wall. If you
can help, please contact Jessica Barron
@ 570-418-2838 Thank you!

**Your Ad
Here!**
**Please contact the
Parish Office.**

May the Sacred Heart of Jesus be adored, glorified, loved, and preserved throughout the world, now and forever. St. Jude, worker of miracles, pray for us. St. Jude, help of the homeless, pray for us. Say this prayer 9 times a day, by the 8th day your prayers will be answered (if it be God's will.) It has never been known to fail. Publication must be promised. Thank you, St. Jude. Amen.



**The Blessed
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reserved in the
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*Please help to
maintain a prayerful*

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