



**Holy Child Church**  
240 S Main St, Mansfield, PA

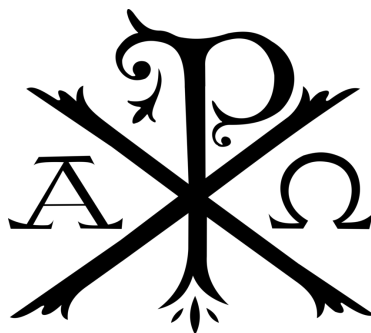


**Reverend Bryan B. Wright**  
Pastor



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

# 20TH SUNDAY ORDINARY TIME August 18, 2024



**PARISH OFFICE**  
Mon, Tue, Fri: 9:30am - 2:30pm  
237 S. Main St, Mansfield, PA 16933  
Phone: 570-662-3568  
Email: [hlychild@ptd.net](mailto:hlychild@ptd.net)  
Web: [holychildparish.com](http://holychildparish.com)

## 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
- Director of Religious Education: Darlene Buck 570-540-1332
- 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](mailto: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, August 17 VIGIL, 20TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**  
4:00 pm, Holy Child: † Jerry & Dan Kostovick (by The Family)

**Sunday, August 18 20TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**  
9:00 am, St. Mary's: † Warren Miller  
(by Linda Dishman & Mary Kay Hawn)  
11:15 am, Holy Child: † Parishioners

**Monday, August 19 St. John Eudes, Priest**  
12:10 pm, St. Mary's: In honor of Mike & Suzanne Miller  
(by Scott & Theresa Delmotte)

**Tuesday, August 20 St. Bernard, Abbot, Doctor of the Church**  
12:10 pm, St. Mary's: † Diane Caskey (by Pat Andrews)

**Wednesday, August 21 St. Pius X, Pope**  
No Mass

**Thursday, August 22 The Queenship of the Blessed Virgin Mary**  
6:00 pm, Holy Child: † Mary & Bernard Wierbowski  
(by Tom Wierbowski)

**Friday, August 23 St. Rose of Lima, Virgin**  
8:30 am, Holy Child: † Richard DiMarco (by Andrea Swain)

**Saturday, August 24 VIGIL, 21TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**  
4:00 pm, Holy Child: In honor of Rebecca & Kyle Chamberlain  
(by Scott & Theresa Delmotte)

**Sunday, August 25 21TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**  
**9:00 am, Holy Child:** † Bob Swinsick (by Tony & Tish Fiamingo)  
**11:15 am, St. Mary's:** † Parishioners

### SANCTUARY LIGHT INTENTIONS: THIS WEEK

Saint Mary's: Health & blessings for Robert Stoudt  
(by his wife Barbara and children)

Holy Child: † Karen Silvaney Benson (by The 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

~OR BY APPOINTMENT~



The flowers in Holy Child Church 8/11-8/25 on the Altar & in front of the Blessed Virgin Mary are donated in memory of JoAnn Weiskopff by co-workers of son Michael Weiskopff

### PARISH OFFERINGS RECEIVED AUG 5-AUG 11. THANK YOU!

Sunday Envelopes	\$3,577.00
Loose	550.00
Dues	210.00
Summer Drive	523.00
Holy Days	35.00
Parish Charity	20.00
<b>Total:</b>	<b>\$4,915.00</b>
Cemeteries	100.00
Care & Education of Priests	10.00

*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:

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

*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 8/18	Prv 9:1-6 Ps 34:2-7 Eph 5:15-20 Jn 6:51-58
Mon 8/19	Ez 24:15-23 (Ps) Dt 32:18-21 Mt 19:16-22
Tue 8/20	Ez 28:1-10 (Ps) Dt 32:26-28,30,35-36 Mt 19:23-30
Wed 8/21	Ez 34:1-11 Ps 23:1-6 Mt 20:1-16
Thu 8/22	Ez 36:23-28 Ps 51:12-15,18-19 Mt 22:1-14
Fri 8/23	Ez 37:1-14 Ps 107:2-9 Mt 22:34-40
Sat 8/24	Rv 21:9b-14 Ps 145:10-13ab,17,18 Jn 1:45-51
Sun 8/25	Jos 24:1-2a,15-17,18b Ps 34:2-3,16-21 Eph 5:21-32 or 5:2a,25-32 Jn 6:60-69

## MARK YOUR CALENDAR

Aug 22: Finance Council following 6pm Mass at Holy Child  
Aug 18: Raffle Baskets due for Roast Beef Dinner  
Aug 25: Parish Annual Roast Beef Dinner, St. Mary's Hall  
Sep 1: KofC Meeting, 6:30pm, Holy Child Hall  
Sep 4: Health Ministry, 10:30am, Holy Child Hall  
Sep 8: Tentative: Annual Parish Picnic, after 11:15 Mass  
Sep 10: Ladies Guild, 6:00pm, Holy Child Hall



## Religious Education

Registration is now open for the 2024-2025 Religious Education program! Registration Forms are in both churches. If you have questions, contact Darlene Buck, Director of Religious Education at 570-540-1332.



### HEALTH MINISTRY NOTES

Water! Water! Water everywhere! The flash floods last Friday have left many people without the barest necessities. Communities are joining together to help those in need. If unable to help physically then remember those affected in your prayers. Flood waters are not to be taken lightly. Powerful currents and washed out roads are some of the dangers of flooded roadways. Currents and rushing water can lift cars and even trucks up and move them. Emergency services respond to all calls for help but don't put yourself needlessly in harms way and become a victim that needs rescuing.

### COLD WATER THERAPY MACHINE NOW AVAILABLE

Health Ministry purchased a cold water therapy machine for use following knee, hip, shoulder, or ankle surgery. It provides wonderful, convenient, programmable cold applications. To borrow this machine, contact Dotty 662-2057.

### HOLY CHILD PARISH MASS INTENTIONS

The Mass Intentions Calendar for 2024 is full.

The Calendar for 2025 will be opened later this year.

In the meantime, please note the following options:

- Association of Marian Helpers, Marians of the Immaculate Conception, Stockbridge, MA; marian.org
- Association of the Miraculous Medal, Perryville, MO; amm.org; 1-800-264-MARY
- Seraphic Mass Association, Pittsburgh, PA; myMassRequest.org; 1-877-737-9050
- Society of the Little Flower, Darien, IL; littleflower.org; 800-621-2806
- The Blue Army, U.S.A. World Apostolate of Fatima, Washington, NJ; bluearmy.com; 908-689-1700
- Sisters of Saint Joseph Guild, Flourtown, PA; 215-248-7838
- Dominican Nuns, Monastery of Our Lady of the Rosary, Summit, NJ; summitdominicans.org
- Carmel of JMJ Fairfield, 327 Water St., Fairfield, PA; fairfieldcarmelites.org/masscards-3

Holy Child Parish

## Roast Beef Dinner & Basket Raffle

at Saint Mary's Hall  
144 Saint Mary's Street, Blossburg, PA 16912

**SUNDAY, AUGUST 25**

**11:30 AM - 2 PM**

**\$15 Adults**

**\$7.00 Ages 12 and under**

**SUNDAY MASS SCHEDULE CHANGE**

**SUNDAY, AUGUST 25TH ONLY**

**9:00 AM, HOLY CHILD, 11:15 AM, SAINT MARY'S**

**Raffle baskets are due by August 18th in the Parish Office.**

Or to Ann Davis (8/14 1-4pm; 8/15 11-3pm;  
8/16 1-4pm; 8/17 12-3pm; or 8/18 at St. Mary's).

### PRO-LIFE RESOURCES

Heart of Tioga Crisis Pregnancy Center: 570-948-2020  
Project Rachel Helpline: 888-456-HOPE for help after abortion  
Abortion Pill Reversal 24/7 Hotline: 1-877-558-0333

"See that you do not despise  
one of these little ones, for I  
say to you that their angels  
in heaven always look upon  
the face of My heavenly Fa-  
ther." (Matthew 18:10)



[heartoftioga@gmail.com](mailto:heartoftioga@gmail.com)  
**24/7 ONLINE NURSE CHAT**

### HOLY CHILD PARISH LADIES GUILD

Ladies Guild invites all women in our parish to join the Holy Child Parish Ladies Guild. Our primary ministry is to raise funds in support of Holy Child Parish, its members, and our Pastor.



Meetings are the Second Tuesday of every month at 7:00pm.

**First meeting of the new year:**

**Tuesday, September 12th, 7:00pm, Holy Child Church Hall**

Annual Membership: September through August.  
Annual Dues: \$5.00.

Return this form & dues payment in the collection basket or mail to: Kathy Draxler, Guild Treasurer, 1482 Route 549, Mansfield, PA 16933.

Membership Information (please fill in, below):

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

## 9TH ANNUAL "BE A CATHOLIC MAN" CONFERENCE

October 5, Holy Redeemer High School  
159 South Pennsylvania Ave.  
Wilkes Barre, PA 18701

**"Come Follow Me"**



7:00am: Registration, Coffee, Rosary  
8:00am-3:00pm: Program; Adoration+Confessions Available  
1:45pm: Closing Mass with Bishop Bambera

The conference features three outstanding speakers:

**Deacon Harold Burke-Sivers:** guest on numerous international Catholic programs; host or co-host of several popular series on EWTN; member of the Fellowship of Catholic Scholars and the Confraternity of Catholic Clergy; award-winning author of five books, including *Behold the Man: A Catholic Vision of Male Spirituality*.

**John Edwards:** "Like so many men, I vowed to be a better person, husband and father time and time again. It wasn't until I felt the presence of Jesus as I walked out of a jail cell that I realized how much I wanted to change and how I could only do that with His help. Since that time, I've taken a journey to grow closer to Christ. I invite other Catholic men to accompany me." [justaguyinthepew.com](http://justaguyinthepew.com)

**Father Bill Casey:** nationally renowned speaker; frequent guest on EWTN; former officer in the U.S. Army; was ordained a priest in the Congregation of the Fathers of Mercy. Father has a love for Sacred Scripture and a strong devotion to the Sacred Heart of Jesus & the Immaculate Heart of Mary. Regular Conference fee: \$40 (Early Bird \$30 until 9-15-24), Students \$15, Priests/Deacons/Seminarians are FREE

**Register:** [www.BeACatholicMan.com](http://www.BeACatholicMan.com) Or send your name, address, email & parish, and check payable to "Be a Catholic Man, Inc" with "Men's Conference" in the memo to: "Be a Catholic Man, Inc", P.O. Box 669, Wyalusing, Pa. 18853  
For more information: Mike Kilmer at 570-721-0872

## SPONSORED BY MARIAN MINISTRIES:

### *Mt. Saviour Monastery Retreat "Pray Without Ceasing"*

Saturday, September 21, 2024 ♦ 9am—3pm

The retreat begins with Mass at 9am, followed by a brief talk "Pray Without Ceasing" by Theresa Delmotte. The remainder includes free time to walk the grounds, visit the bookstore, pray in the crypt, and spend time with friends. Hopefully, one of the monks will address the group. Confession will be available in the afternoon. A continental breakfast and boxed lunch will be provided. Suggested donation: \$15.00 **\*Space is limited. First come, first served.**

To register, contact Linda Sampson (570-404-2180) or Laurie Coffee (703-470-2975) or use the sign-up sheets at your parish; please include contact info (email & phone).



### *Living Rosary*

Beginning October 1st ... stay tuned for details.

### *Women's Deanery Retreat "Go and Fear Nothing; I Am With You."*

Saturday, October 19th, 10am—4pm  
Immaculate Conception Church, Williamsport, PA

Come away for a time of refreshment and renewal with our neighbors in Williamsport. Enjoy a light breakfast, lunch, and three breakout sessions: Soulcore, Catholic Mindset Coaching and Our Temperaments, and a presentation on Our Lady of Champion. Confession will be available. The retreat concludes with Mass at 4pm. Sign-up sheets are available at your parishes or contact Linda (570-404-2180) or Laurie (703-470-2975.) This event is made possible by funds from the Diocesan Annual Appeal.



### *Fall Book Studies*

Women's Book Study—"Walking With Purpose" will be offered to the women of our local parishes. There will be an online component and in-person gatherings. Dates to be determined. <https://walkingwithpurpose.com/about/> Sign up at your parishes or contact Linda or Laurie as listed above.

Men's Book Study—"Ascending With Ignatius" will be led by Chris Troncone. For more information, contact Chris at 570-404-7278 or email [troncy@hotmail.com](mailto:troncy@hotmail.com).

### *Paint and Pray*

Saturday, November 9th, 11am—2pm  
Holy Child Church, Mansfield, PA

The painting subject will be seasonal—reflective of either Thanksgiving or Christmas. Registration is limited, so watch the bulletin for details. Fr. Bryan plans to paint with us! You won't want to miss this fun-filled event!

### *New Branch of Marian Ministries*

We welcome our Catholic sisters in Williamsport to Marian Ministries! Each branch has selected a patroness & name: Tioga County: "Marian Ministries—Our Lady of Guadalupe" Williamsport: "Marian Ministries—Our Lady of Champion" Please pray for us as we continue to grow and share the love of Our Blessed Mother!



## WEEK OF AUGUST 18, 2024

### SAINT BERNARD OF CLAIRVAUX

Who was St. Bernard of Clairvaux? In this FORMED Now episode, Dr. Ben Akers is joined by Dr. John Sehorn to discuss this great saint and Doctor of the Church.



### THE THEOLOGICAL VIRTUES: FAITH

What are they and how do they impact our lives as Christians today? How do we grow in them? Dive into the theological virtues and discuss their place in God's plan for humanity.



### MARY & THE SAINTS: OUR SPIRITUAL MOTHER

#### & THE COMMUNION OF SAINTS

Jesus gave his mother Mary to us as our spiritual mother, and she intercedes for us in heaven before her Son. By growing in relationship with Mary—and the rest of the saints—we grow in fellowship with Christ.



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ATTN: HIGH SCHOOL GIRLS—CAPUCHIN SISTERS OF NAZARETH  
Details: capuchinsisters.com

Come & See Discernment Retreat: Sept. 27-29  
Mother of the Eucharist Convent, 6100 Jacks Hollow Rd.,  
Williamsport, PA 17702

Nazareth Group (11a-4:30p): 10/12, 12/7, 2/1, 4/5, 6/7  
Mother of the Eucharist Convent, Williamsport, PA  
RSVP with Sr. Clare (570) 745-3334  
Or Mother of God Convent, Tunkhannock, PA  
RSVP with Sr. Angela (570) 836-2737

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**TO REGISTER OR FOR MORE INFO:  
CONTACT MAUREEN BENOIT AT  
SHPDRE@GMAIL.COM OR 774-289-0249**

Registration deadline Nov 1st

#### FROM TIOGA COUNTY HOMELESS INITIATIVE

Dear Church Partner— As our new facility becomes reality, TCHI is praying that the churches of Tioga County will assist us in providing the following items.

**Twenty-eight wardrobe closets** for the new building's guest bedrooms. If your church sends funding (~\$140.00 per closet), we will place a dedication tag on it, naming your church.

**Monthly food supplies (guests will cook their own meals):**

- Beef, pork, chicken, turkey, hot dogs
- Milk, eggs, margarine / butter, bread, non-perishables

#### **Volunteer opportunities:**

- Help sort and organize supplies—TCHI receives a lot of donated items and supplies from everywhere.
- Cover the entrance desk—answer phones, take messages, direct individuals to staff, simple office duties (filing).
- Other opportunities will be posted as needed.

Sincerely, Abby Thorborg, TCHI Director of Operations  
570-724-9001 or 570-439-9383 or tiogahomeless.org

Email: tiogacountyhomelessinitiative@yahoo.com



#### PA HOUSE BILL 1888—PLEASE CALL

We need a full court press to defeat House Bill 1888, a proposed pro-abortion Constitutional Amendment.

Governor Shapiro has shut down the funds that always went to Pro-Life *Real Alternatives* and has directed funds toward pro-abortion organizations. Another reason to contact our State Representatives and State Senator and let them know the importance of state funds for *Real Alternatives*.

Please call PA House Judiciary Committee members below with this message: **Please oppose House Bill 1888. I do not want my hard-earned tax money to pay for abortion.**

Hon. Rob W. Kauffman  
(717) 705-2004

Hon. David H. Rowe  
(717) 787-3443

Hon. Kate A. Klunk  
(717) 787-4790

Hon. Jim Rigby  
(717) 772-9924

Hon. Torren C. Ecker  
(717) 783-8875

Hon. Joe Kerwin  
(717) 260-6148

Hon. Clint Owlett  
(717) 772-5371

Hon. Paul Schemel  
(717) 783-5218

Hon. Timothy R. Bonner  
(717) 783-6438

Hon. Robert Leadbeter  
(717) 783-1102

Hon. Joe Hamm  
(717) 787-5270

Thank you for making these critical calls! Please share.



#### THE ANGELUS

~To Be Prayed Daily at 6am, 12pm, & 6pm~  
Prayed at our Monday, Tuesday, & Thursday Masses

The Angel of the Lord declared to Mary:  
And she conceived of the Holy Spirit. Hail Mary...

Behold the handmaid of the Lord:  
Be it done unto me according to Thy word. Hail Mary...

And the Word was made Flesh:  
And dwelt among us. Hail Mary...

Pray for us, O Holy Mother of God, that we may be made worthy of the promises of Christ.

Let us pray: Pour forth, we beseech Thee, O Lord, Thy grace into our hearts; that we, to whom the incarnation of Christ, Thy Son, was made known by the message of an angel, may by His Passion and Cross be brought to the glory of His Resurrection, through the same Christ Our Lord.

Amen.

#### PRAYER TO THE HOLY SPIRIT

Come, Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of your faithful and kindle in them the fire of your love.  
Send forth your Spirit and they shall be created, and you shall renew the face of the earth.

*Let us pray.*

O God, who have taught the hearts of the faithful, by the light of the Holy Spirit, grant that in the same Spirit we may be truly wise and ever rejoice in his consolation.  
Through Christ our Lord. Amen.


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Book Recommendation  
from Father Bryan...  
**A Church in Crisis:  
Pathways Forward**  
By Ralph Martin

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



The local food  
pantries need  
our donations of  
*nonperishable*  
items.

Collection bins are in both churches.  
Thank you for your support!

May the Sacred Heart of Jesus be adored,  
glorified, loved, and preserved throughout  
the world, now and forever. St. Jude, work-  
er 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.  
Thank you, St. Jude. Amen.



**The Blessed  
Sacrament is  
reserved in the  
Tabernacle.**  
*Please help to  
maintain a prayerful*

**SILENCE AND REVERENCE**

**Binding Prayer for Fair & Moral Elec-  
tions by Father Chad Ripperger**  
By the Power of the Precious Blood, with  
the intercession of the Blessed Virgin  
Mary, I petition Our Lord Jesus Christ,  
to bind any spirit that interferes with fair  
and moral elections in the United States,  
to go to the foot of the Cross  
† and receive their sentence. Amen. †