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240 S Main St, Mansfield, PA

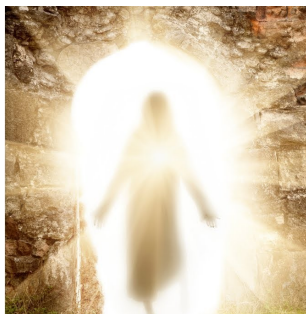


Reverend Bryan B. Wright
Pastor



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

SEVENTH SUNDAY OF EASTER June 1, 2025



PARISH OFFICE

Mon, Tue, Fri: 9:30am - 2:30pm
237 S. Main St, Mansfield, PA 16933
Phone: 570-662-3568
Email: hlychild@ptd.net
Web: 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
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, May 31 The Visitation of The Blessed Virgin Mary
VIGIL—SEVENTH SUNDAY OF EASTER
4:00 pm, Holy Child: † Ron Becker (by Susan Becker)

Sunday, June 1 SEVENTH SUNDAY OF EASTER
9:00 am, St. Mary's: Our living and deceased Parishioners
11:15 am, Holy Child: † Janet Slusser (by Dave & Cathy Slusser)

Monday, June 2 Easter Weekday; *Ss. Marcellinus & Peter, Martyrs*
12:10 pm, St. Mary's: † Rose & Leonard Mahosky
(by Margaret Morgan)

Tuesday, June 3 *St. Charles Lwanga & Companions, Martyrs*
12:10 pm, St. Mary's: † Leonard & Dorothy Lutomski
(by Mike, Connie, & Chet)

Wednesday, June 4 Easter Weekday
No Mass

Thursday, June 5 *St. Boniface, Bishop & Martyr*
6:00 pm, Holy Child: † Gregory Mizdail
(by His Brothers, Sisters, and Sons)

Friday, June 6 First Friday; *St. Norbert, Bishop*
8:30 am, Holy Child: † Paul Theodore Rovers
(by Greg & Kathleen)

Saturday, June 7
No First Saturday Mass
VIGIL—PENTECOST SUNDAY
4:00 pm, Holy Child: † Gabe Partyka (by Doris, Laura, & Linda)

Sunday, June 8 PENTECOST SUNDAY
9:00 am, St. Mary's: Our living and deceased Parishioners
11:15 am, Holy Child: † Brad Brown (by The Family)

SANCTUARY CANDLE INTENTIONS: THIS WEEK
Holy Child: † Paul Theodore Rovers (by Greg & Kathleen)
St. Mary's: † Deceased members of the Kanaley & Bortone Families (by Edward & Maryann Kanaley)
The Sanctuary Candle 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—9:15 am—Holy Child Church
First Saturdays—10:15 am—St. Mary's Church
~Or By Appointment~

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38% of Holy Child parishioners have made gifts amounting to 84% of our goal. If you've already made a gift... *thank you!*



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Living Rosary Devotion



Three minutes a day... that's about how long it takes to pray one decade of the Rosary. *Over breakfast with the family... on the drive to school or work... from the parking lot to the store... pausing between emails... or before bedtime.* To participate in this beautiful devotion, contact Laurie (703)470-2975 laurie.coffee@gmail.com.

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. Bless those who need special prayers:

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

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



To request prayer for someone due to illness, surgery, hardship, or other reason, 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.

The 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.

PRO-LIFE RESOURCES

Heart of Tioga Crisis Pregnancy
Center: 570-948-2020



Project Rachel Helpline: 888-456-
HOPE for help after abortion

heartoftioga@gmail.com
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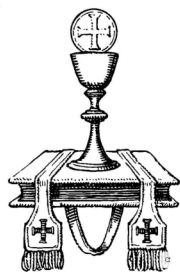
Abortion Pill Reversal 24/7 Hotline: 1-877-558-0333

SCRIPTURE READINGS

Sun 6/1	Acts 7:55-60 Ps 97:1-2,6-7,9 Rv 22:12-14,16-17,20 Jn 17:20-26
Mon 6/2	Acts 19:1-8 Ps 68:2-3b,4,5ac,6-7b Jn 16:29-33
Tue 6/3	Acts 20:17-27 Ps 68:10-11,20-21 Jn 17:1-11a
Wed 6/4	Acts 20:28-38 Ps 68:29-30,33-36b Jn 17:11b-19
Thu 6/5	Acts 22:30;23:6-11 Ps 16:1-2a,5,7-11 Jn 17:20-26
Fri 6/6	Acts 25:13b-21 Ps 103:1-2,11-12,19-20ab Jn 21:15-19
Sat 6/7	Acts 28:16-20,30-31 Ps 11:4-5,7 Jn 21:20-25
Sun 6/8	Acts 2:1-11 Ps 104:1ab,24ac,29bc-30,31,34 1Cor 12:3b-13/Rom 8:8-17 Jn 20:19-23/14:15-26

MARK YOUR CALENDAR

- Jun 1: Lectio Bible Study-Confirmation (final) after 11:15 Mass
 Jun 4: Parish Health Ministry Meeting, 10:30am, Holy Child Hall
 Jun 19: Pastoral Council Meeting starting w/ 6pm Mass, Holy Child
 Jun 22: Father Bryan's 25th Anniversary of Priesthood Celebration
 Jul 2: Parish Health Ministry Meeting, 10:30am, Holy Child Hall
 Jul 6: KofC MU Council Meeting, 6:30pm Holy Child Hall



FATHER BRYAN'S 25TH ANNIVERSARY OF ORDINATION TO THE PRIESTHOOD

Holy Child Church and Hall
 240 S. Main St, Mansfield, PA, 16933
 Sunday June 22, 2025

Corpus Christi Sunday

11:15 am—Mass

12:15 pm—Eucharistic Procession & Benediction

1:00 pm—Drinks, charcuterie, pesto taquitos, fruit

1:30 pm—Dinner: beef lasagna, Caesar salad, rolls & butter,
 chocolate mascarpone cake, cookies

Seating for dinner is limited; please RSVP by June 15th:
 570-662-3568 (Parish Office)



HEALTH MINISTRY NOTES



April showers bring May flowers. So what do May showers bring? Mosquitoes! Mosquitoes carry many diseases and skin infections. Are you aware that only the female bites? The best way to decrease your chance of getting sick from a mosquito bite is to prevent it in

the first place. Using a mosquito repellent spray each time you go out, even if it only sitting on the front porch watching the sunset, will help keep those pesky flying insects away. Another preventative measure you can do is remove their habitats. Empty all containers with standing water in them, even the bird bath needs emptied and cleaned out on a regular basis. Mosquito larvae hatch in standing water. Anything that holds water is the perfect breeding spot for that annoying little creature. Nature provides effective control measures such as barn swallows and bats. But they will definitely need help this wet and soggy spring. So enjoy the nice weather, whenever it may happen, but remember to protect yourself from that pesky disease carrying insect.

THIS WEEKEND: SECOND COLLECTION

Catholic Communication Campaign

usccb.org/committees/catholic-communication-campaign

ATTN: HIGH SCHOOL GIRLS—CAPUCHIN SISTERS OF NAZARETH

We invite all young women (grades 9-12) to learn more about the Faith, make wholesome friendships, & grow more in love with Jesus through prayer & inspirational talks. capuchinsisters.com



Nazareth Group: 11am—4:30 pm, June 7th

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

Pray the Rosary Every Day

HOLY CHILD PARISH MASS INTENTIONS

The Mass Intentions Calendar for 2025 is full.

Sanctuary Candle Intentions remain available

The Calendar for 2026 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



THE REGINA CAELI

(prayed in place of The Angelus during Easter)

prayed daily at 6am, 12pm, & 6pm

O, Queen of heaven, rejoice! **Alleluia.**

For He whom you did merit to bear, **Alleluia.**

Has risen, as he said, **Alleluia.**

Pray for us to God, **Alleluia.**

Rejoice and be glad, O Virgin Mary. **Alleluia.**

For the Lord has risen indeed. Alleluia.

Let us pray. O God, Who by the resurrection of Your Son, Our Lord Jesus Christ, has given joy to the whole world, grant, we beseech You, that through the intercession of the Virgin Mary, His Mother, we may attain the same joys of eternal life. Through the same Christ Our Lord. **Amen.**



"The family that prays together, stays together."

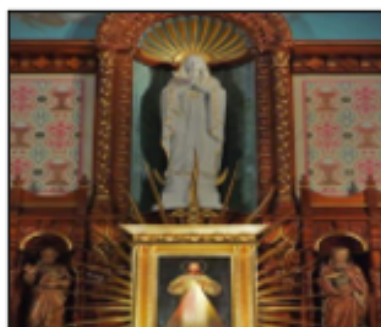
Divine Mercy Pilgrimage National Shrine of Divine Mercy Tour

Stockbridge, MA

September 23-24, 2025

**Price: \$571.00 per person
(single occupancy)**

\$402.00 per person (double occupancy)



PACKAGE INCLUDES:

- 1 Night accommodation at Red Lion Inn
- 1 Breakfast including taxes and gratuity
- Tour of National Shrine of Divine Mercy
- \$100.00 group donation to the National Shrine of Divine Mercy; taxes; meal; motorcoach gratuities for driver
- Roundtrip Motorcoach transportation

DEPARTURE LOCATIONS:

- AAA, South Williamsport 5:00AM
- Wellsboro 6:00AM

NOT INCLUDED:

- Items of a personal nature
- Meals not mentioned
- Baggage Handling
- Travel Insurance
- AAA Host

Reservation & Cancellations

A **\$120.00 deposit**, per person, is required at the time of making your reservation. \$20.00 of the deposit is non-refundable. **Final payment is due June 5, 2025.** If cancellation is necessary after final payment, **no refund will be due.** **Cancellation Insurance is strongly recommended.** Ask your travel agent for details.

All prices are based on a minimum number of passengers. If the number falls below that number, the tour may be canceled, or additional costs may apply. Additional fuel surcharges may be imposed at any time by the tour operator, up to and including time of departure that will be the responsibility of the client.

Smoking and Seating Information:

No smoking is permitted on the coach. Seats are assigned according to the reception of the reservation. Seats will not be rotated. If you are traveling with another party, require a wheelchair lift, or need to request special seating due a disability, please inform us at the time the reservation is made.

For more information call Terrie Thomas (570-418-3881) or Karen Emery with AAA of Wellsboro, (570-724-4134, extension 175). This tour is organized by Marian Ministries and AAA.

MARIAN MINISTRIES—UPCOMING EVENTS

Book Group—Living Rosary Picnic Rain Date

All participants in our online Book Groups and Living Rosary are invited to a picnic—rescheduled to Sunday, July 6th, 3pm-6pm at the home of Joe and Laurie Coffee in Troy. Meat, drinks, and table service will be provided. Bring a chair and dish to share. **Please RSVP by Sunday, June 30th.**

Summer Book Studies

“Praying With Our Sorrowful Mother: Reflections on the Seven Sorrows of Mary” by Fr. Jacob Powell and “The Persistent God: A Guide to Deepening Prayer” by Fr. Albert Haase, OFM. Both books are short but thought-provoking. Summaries found on amazon.com.

To join one or both, email marian-ministries@outlook.com or Chris at trancy@hotmail.com. If you’ve never participated in an online book study, give it a try this Summer. Dates will be announced soon.

Deanery Summer Pilgrimage

Wednesday, June 25th, 2025

National Shrine of the Grotto of Our Lady of Lourdes

National Shrine of the Grotto of St. Sharbel

National Shrine of Elizabeth Ann Seton

Cost: \$100/person, including dinner.

- 5 am Depart from Benedict’s Bus Terminal
Pick-ups in Mansfield and Williamsport
(Watch for Details)
- 7:15 Breakfast stop at Selinsgrove McDonalds (30-45min.)
- 10:00 Arrival—National Shrines of the Grottos of Our Lady of Lourdes and St. Sharbel.
- Noon Depart
- 12:15 Arrival—National Shrine of Elizabeth Anne Seton
- TBA Depart
Buffet dinner at Dobbins Tavern, Gettysburg, PA
- TBA Approximate Return to Terminal

Mass and Confessions will be available. Bring your own lunch. This trip is made possible by a Catholic Ministries Appeal grant.

For more information and to register:

Contact Terrie at (570) 418-3881 or theresajthomas1@gmail.com.

Checks payable to “St. Peter’s Church” can be mailed to: St. Peter’s Church, 47 Central Avenue, Wellsboro, PA 16901

Payments can also be dropped in the collection baskets.



Heart
of Tioga
Pregnancy and Parenting Support

ANNUAL HEART OF TIOGA 2025 GOLF TOURNAMENT

Monday, June 9

Tyoga Country Club

Wellsboro, PA

Course Prizes! Course Competitions!
Dinner to follow!

Register by calling Ardell Thomas
and leaving a voicemail at 570-439-4032.
\$100 per person (\$400 per team)



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JUNE
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- Location: Marywood University
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- Adventure, Prayer, Dynamic Talks, Mass, Adoration, and Outdoor Activities
- Learn about vocations, better discern where God is calling you, & chat with priests, seminarians, and Bishop Bambera
- Cost is \$25.

Diocese of Scranton

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REGISTRATION DEADLINE: JUNE 16TH

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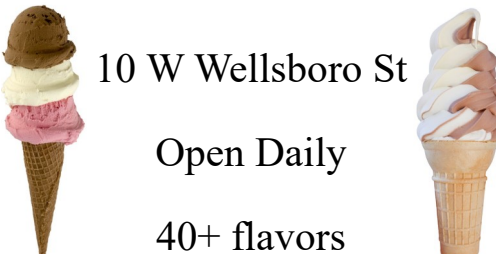


Special Occasions
Florist

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www.SpecialOccasionsofMansfield.com

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Health Ministry—Available Medical Equipment:
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Machine, Knee Crutch, Knee Scooter, Toilet
Chairs, Raised Toilet Seats, Toilet Handles, Rising
Frame for Chair, Rollator Walker, Shower Bench,
Shower Chair, Transfer Bench, Transfer Board,
Tub Handle, Tubing, Walkers, Walker with Seat,
Wash Basin, Wheelchair, Wheelchair Cushion,
Baby Items at the Welsh's: Bath Tub, Booster
Seat, Bed Rails, Safety Gate

Book Recommendation
from Father Bryan...

The Exorcist Files
By Father Carlos Martins

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

SILENCE AND REVERENCE

Reminder for Funerals...

Eulogies are permitted during:

- ♦ Funeral home vigil services
- ♦ Graveside committal services
- ♦ Luncheons (after Funeral Masses)

Eulogies are not permitted during
Funeral Masses (CCC1688). Thank you.