

Holy Child Church 240 S Main St, Mansfield, PA

SIXTH SUNDAY

OF EASTER

May 25, 2025



Reverend Bryan B. Wright
Pastor



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

### 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**

<u>Baptism</u>: 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.

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

<u>Anointing of the Sick:</u> 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
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#### 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

# Fidoration of the Blessed Sacrament ~ prior to all Masses ~



### MASS SCHEDULE & INTENTIONS

Saturday, May 24 VIGIL—SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER 4:00 pm, Holy Child: Our living and deceased Parishioners

Sunday, May 25 SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

9:00 am, St. Mary's: † Jerry & Dan Kostovick (by Dolores Kostovick) 11:15 am, Holy Child: †JoAnn Weiskopff (by Charlie & Lydia Brennan)

Monday, Memorial Day St. Philip Neri, Priest 10:30 am, Holy Child: † Carol Dalton (by The Family)

Tuesday, May 27 Easter Weekday; St. Augustine of Canterbury 12:10 pm, St. Mary's: † Thomas & Catherine McNamara (by Mike & Connie McNamara)

Wednesday, May 28 No Mass

Easter Weekday

Thursday, May 29

THE ASCENSION OF THE LORD Holy Day of Obligation

12:10 pm, St. Mary's: Our living and deceased Parishioners **6:00 pm, Holy Child:** † Mason Abel (by The Mizdail Family)

Friday, May 30 Easter Weekday 8:30 am, Holy Child: † Roddy Earley (by Denise Grishka)

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)



### SANCTUARY CANDLE INTENTIONS: THIS WEEK

Holy Child: † Venerable Fr. Emil Kapaun (by Zack Buck) St. Mary's: † Thomas & Catherine McNamara (by Dave & Janie Hilfiger)

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—9:00 am—Holy Child Church First Saturdays—10:00 am—St. Mary's Church ~Or By Appointment~

### Parish Offerings: May 12-18. Thank You!

Sunday Envelopes	\$2,557.00
Loose	394.56
Tax/insurance	65.00
Cemetery maintenance	40.00
Total:	\$3,056.56
Diocesan: Care & Education of Priests	.00

### DIOCESAN ANNUAL CATHOLIC MINISTRIES APPEAL

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





#### 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 dhirw@ptd.net or 662-2057. The Lord is always listening.

#### VISITS TO THE HOMEBOUND

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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



heartoftioga@gmail.com

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

24/7 ONLINE NURSE CHAT

Abortion Pill Reversal 24/7 Hotline: 1-877-558-0333

Scripture Readings	
Sun 5/25	Acts 15:1-2,22-29 Ps 67:2-3,5-6,8 Rv 21:10-14,22-23 Jn 14:23-29
Mon 5/26	Acts 16:11-15 Ps 149:1b-6a,9b Jn 15:26—16:4a
Tue 5/27	Acts 16:22-34 Ps 138:1-3,7c-8 Jn 16:5-11
Wed 5/28	Acts 17:15,22—18:1 Ps 148:1-2,11-14 Jn 16:12-15
Thu 5/29	Acts 1:1-11 Ps 47:2-3,6-9 Eph 1:17-23 or Heb 9:24-28;10:19-23 Lk 24:46-53
Fri 5/30	Acts 18:9-18 Ps 47:2-7 Jn 16:20-23
Sat 5/31	Zep 3:14-18a Rom 12:9-16 Is 12:2-3,4bcd,5-6 Lk 1:39-56
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

### MARK YOUR CALENDAR

May 25: Lectio Bible Study-Confirmation (8) after 11:15 Mass
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



# 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; <u>please RSVP by June 15th</u>: 570-662-3568 (Parish Office)



#### NEXT WEEKEND: SECOND COLLECTION

Catholic Communication Campaign usccb.org/committees/catholic-communication-campaign

# HOLY CHILD KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS THANK YOU!

...to all those who patronized their breakfast in Holy Child Hall last Sunday. All proceeds support their College Scholarship (application below). Thank you!



#### COLLEGE SCHOLARSHIP

The Knights invite all High School Seniors to apply for a scholarship: go to the electronic version of this bulletin on the Holy Child website, and click this link K of C Scholarship Application 2025; submit completed application by May 31st.

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

### MARIAN MINISTRIES—WOMEN'S BRUNCH







Over 50 beautiful women gathered last Saturday morning to share a meal and celebrate Our Lady of Guadalupe. Attendees enjoyed a colorful fiesta of faith and friendship, complete with delicious Mexican food by Timmy B's. Special thanks to our amazing speaker, Cathy Asbury, our pastor, Fr. Bryan, and the incredible Marian Ministries teams from Wellsboro and Williamsport. We are blessed! For more photos and upcoming events, friend us on Facebook at "Marian Ministries."

### MARIAN MINISTRIES—UPCOMING EVENTS



**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 thoughtprovoking. Summaries found on amazon.com.

To join one or both studies, email marian-ministries@outlook.com or Chris Troncone at troncy@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.

**Deadline for Registration: June 15th** 

Depart from Benedict's Bus Terminal 5 am 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 https://www.dobbinhouse.com/

**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 theresajthomas 1@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.

# **DUO VADIS DAYS**

### HIGH SCHOOL SUMMER CAMP

JUNE • Location: Marywood University

REGISTRATION DEADLINE: JUNE 16TH

- Open to rising sophomores through graduating seniors in high school
- 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.







### ANNUAL HEART OF TIOGA **2025 GOLF TOURNAMEN**

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)



# FIAT DAYS

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# 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 & Cancelations

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.



Jacquelyn A. Buckheit, Supervisor 637 South Main Street Mansfield, Pennsylvania 16933 Phone (570) 662-8888 ~ Fax (570) 662-1146 buckheitfcandcrematory.com

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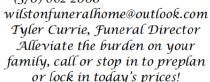
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May the Sacred Heart of Jesus be adored, glorified, loved, and preserved throughout the world, now and forever. St. Jude, worker of miracles, pray for us. St. Jude, help of the homeless, pray for us. Say this prayer 9 times a day, by the 8th day your prayers will be answered (if it be God's will).

> It has never been known to fail. Thank you, St. Jude. Amen.

### Wilston Funeral Home & Cremation Service

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# Happy 50th Wedding Anniversary! John Sleboda

May 24th

From Susan



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# To Susan, my better half, Happy 50th Anniversary.

I love you. John May 24th



### 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.