

## MINISTRIES SCHEDULE

February 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup>

### LECTORS

SA	5:00 PM	Patty Selfe
IC	8:00 AM	Mike Hanna
SA	9:30 AM	Teri Bucks

### ALTAR SERVERS

SA	5:00 PM	Ansley Dally
IC	8:00 AM	Xavier and Ben Shields
SA	9:30 AM	Aurora Reeder and Isabella Bravoco

### MASS INTENTIONS

Monday 1/29/24	8:30 AM SA	<b>Grace Miller</b> by Daughters
Tuesday 1/30/24	8:30 AM IC - LHCS	<b>Matthew Miller</b> by Jeanne
Wednesday 1/31/24	8:30 AM SA	
Thursday 2/1/24	8:30 AM IC	<b>Pat Leone</b> by Hansons
Friday 2/2/24	8:30 AM SA	<b>Deceased Members of the Capello and Caruso Families</b> by Kim and Christine Feerrar
Saturday 2/3/24	5:00 PM SA	<b>Wava Karichner</b> by her Husband and Children
Sunday 2/4/24	8:00 AM IC	<b>People of the Parish</b>
	9:30 AM SA	<b>Lisa Jameson</b> by 9:30 AM Mass Ushers

## HOLY SPIRIT PARISH EVENTS

### MONDAY, 1/29/24

LAMBS - PC - 1 PM  
SA Choir - SA - 4:30 PM  
Christian Initiation - PC - 5:30-7 PM

### TUESDAY, 1/30/24

LHCS Catholic Schools Week Mass - IC - 8:30 AM

### WEDNESDAY, 1/31/24

### THURSDAY, 2/1/24

### FRIDAY, 2/2/24

### SATURDAY, 2/3/24

Blessing of Throats - SA - 5 PM Mass

### SUNDAY, 2/4/24

IC Choir - IC Church Basement - 7:30 AM  
Religious Education - PC - 10:30-Noon  
Group Service - PC - Noon-2 PM



## HOLY SPIRIT PARISH STAFF

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# Holy Spirit Parish

**Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time – January 28, 2024**

***Month of the Holy Name of Jesus***



## **Immaculate Conception Church**

310 West Water Street  
Lock Haven, PA 17745



## **Saint Agnes Church**

3 East Walnut Street  
Lock Haven, PA 17745

## **Parish Office Hours**

Monday – Friday 9:00 AM to 12:00 PM

By appointment after 12 Noon

Appointments with Father Orr – Call the Office

Main Office: 570-748-4594 Fax: 570-796-2642

Website: [holyspiritlockhaven.org](http://holyspiritlockhaven.org)

### **Weekday Mass Schedule:**

Monday, Wednesday, and Friday

8:30 AM – St. Agnes Church

Tuesday and Thursday

8:30 AM – Immaculate Conception Church  
or as announced

(the Rosary is recited after every weekday Mass)

### **Holy Days of Obligation**

Check back for updated Mass times

### **Weekend Mass Schedule:**

Saturday, 5:00 PM – St. Agnes Church

Sunday, 8:00 AM – Immaculate Conception Church

Sunday, 9:30 AM – St. Agnes Church

Sunday, 12:00 Noon – St. Joseph Church, Renovo

### **Sacrament of Reconciliation**

Saturdays

11:00 AM – Immaculate Conception Church

4:00 PM – St. Agnes Church

or anytime upon request

## Meals for the Homebound

**On February 4<sup>th</sup>, the Religious Ed Confirmation Preparation students will be preparing and packaging a meal for our parishioners who have a hard time getting out or cooking on their own.** Last week, we contacted parishioners who have expressed interest in the past. If you know someone or are someone who would be interested in a meal, please call the office by Tuesday, January 30<sup>th</sup>. **Additionally, we will need assistance delivering meals on Sunday afternoon.** If you want to deliver meals, please call the office to be placed on the volunteer list by January 30<sup>th</sup>. We will assign areas with addresses for the meals. We will confirm delivery volunteers by February 1<sup>st</sup>.

## Stewardship Reflection

### Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Our readings today remind us of God's authority. If we willingly give God authority over our lives and trust in His provision, He will take care of us no matter what. Our Gospel today reminds us why we want to give God this authority. Jesus was teaching in the synagogue on the Sabbath. All were fixed on His words and astonished at what He had to say. Suddenly everyone's attention shifted to a man with an unclean spirit who began to question Jesus and His authority. Jesus responded, "Quiet, come out of him!" and removed the evil spirit from the man. All were amazed at the healing of this man. Life can sometimes look like the synagogue in Capernaum. We are living as disciples of Christ, when we suddenly recognize evil around us – through events in our lives, temptations we are enduring, or by falling into sin. It can distract us, consume our attention, or even cause us to despair. In these moments of trial, we must remember the Healer in our Gospel today. Recall His words, "Quiet, come out of him!" Jesus has the power and authority over evil, for He has conquered sin and death. He also has the power and authority over us. And when we invite Him to have the authority, He will heal us and help us persevere.

Today, we are reminded that God is in control and that we want Him to be in control. He is the loving Healer that will work miracles in our lives if we give Him the authority to do so.



**Catholic Daughters of the Americas, Court Ave Maria #399, is now taking requests for their annual Valentine Remembrance list which will be printed in The Express on February 14<sup>th</sup>.**

The donation is \$10 per line with up to three names placed on each line. **Order forms can be found in the vestibules of both churches.** Please make your check payable to Catholic Daughters of the Americas and drop off in the collection basket or mail to Jean Hesler, 3316 Renovo Rd., Mill Hall, PA 17751. **Requests must be received by next Sunday, February 4<sup>th</sup>.** The Remembrance Mass will be celebrated on Sunday, February 18<sup>th</sup> at 9:30 AM at St. Agnes Church. For more information, please contact Jean at 570-295-4586. We appreciate your support with this project.

### *Remember in Your Prayers*

Please keep the family of **Terry E. Scanlan** in your prayers. May they be comforted by the support of their parish family during this difficult time.



Lent begins this year on Ash Wednesday, February 14<sup>th</sup>. Mark your calendars for these Lenten events. The full HSP Lenten Schedule will be in the bulletin in a few weeks.

**Eucharistic Adoration and Vesper Services** – Sundays, 4:00 PM, at IC

**Stations of the Cross** – Fridays, 12:00 Noon, at IC

**Lenten Penance Service** – Sunday, February 25<sup>th</sup>

**Drive-thru Fish Fries** – Fridays, 4:00-6:00 PM, at the Parish Center

## **FISH FRY SIGN-UP**

**We need your help!** Sign-up sheets for volunteers for our annual Lenten Fish Fry's are available in the vestibules of both churches. **Please sign up for any and all the Fridays you can help.**

# Our Lady of Guadalupe

Last week, the students of LHCS were privileged to see the Missionary Image of Our Lady of Guadalupe. She has traveled the world and comes with her own miraculous properties that have been privately experienced. It was a blessing to be able to introduce the students to this most beautiful image of Our Lady. They were mesmerized and were able to touch the image gently.



Here, a group of 3<sup>rd</sup> graders admire and experience the beautiful image of Our Lady of Guadalupe.

## Point to Ponder

*"Mary is the reason for all my hope."*

*St. Padre Pio*

## Study of Mariology



Ever wonder how we know what we know and believe what we believe about Mary? How do we know her parents' names or

that she was conceived without sin and remained a virgin for life? If these are some of the questions you have about our Marian beliefs, **plan on joining Deacon Chuck on Thursday evenings throughout Lent, 6:00 PM in the Parish Center, as he leads a group through *Mariology - What we Know and Why We Believe*.**

## 10 Ways to Make the Most of 2024

1. Do not rush important things.
2. Find joy in the present moment.
3. Realize being super busy is not good for you.
4. Craving perfection blocks your happiness.
5. Let go of the craving to control everything.
6. Handle success like you handle failure.
7. Take full responsibility for your actions.
8. Be the reason someone feels seen and supported
9. If you can't say something positive about someone, say nothing at all.
10. Take it one day at a time.

*From: Yung Pueblo, The Way Forward*

## Prayers to Mary

The candle for the second two weeks of January at the statue of the Blessed Virgin Mary at St. Agnes Church is burning in memory of **Anna Genua** by Daughters.

## Sanctuary Candles

The sanctuary candle for the second two weeks of January at St. Agnes Church is burning in memory of **Michael Probst** by the Family.

The sanctuary candle for the second two weeks of January at Immaculate Conception Church is burning in memory of **Yvonne Dumm** by Joe and Jackie Dumm.

## Bus Trip - Daniel

St. John the Evangelist, Bellefonte, will be taking a bus trip to SIGHT & SOUND THEATRE in Lancaster to see the new production "DANIEL"



on Tuesday, April 23<sup>rd</sup> for the 11:00 AM showing. Transportation will be by Fullington Trailways. We are planning to stop for lunch at Cracker Barrel after the show. The bus will be boarding in front of the church at 6:30 AM. Cost is \$130.00 per person which includes show ticket and transportation (lunch not included). All reservations and money must be received in the parish office by March 15<sup>th</sup>. Please note - no reservations will be accepted without payment. Space is limited. If you have any questions, please contact the parish office at (814) 355-3134.