MINISTRIES SCHEDULE

November 15th and 16th

LECTORS					
SA	5:00 PM	Patty Selfe			
IC	8:00 AM	Donna Shank			
SA	9:30 AM	Rebecca Muthler			
ALTAR SERVERS					
SA	5:00 PM	Marty Urbanic			
IC	8:00 AM	Eloise Darwin and Savannah Persun			
SA	9:30 AM	Ryan and Avery Stimpson			

MASS INTENTIONS						
Monday 11/10/25	8:30 AM SA	The Michele Family by Mary Louise Graziano				
Tuesday 11/11/25	8:30 AM IC	E.D. Myers by Family				
Wednesday 11/12/25	8:30 AM SA	James Kay by Leo and Bea Philippe				
Thursday 11/13/25	8:30 AM IC	Those in Need in our Community and in our Country				
Friday 11/14/25	8:30 AM SA	Deborah Gallagher by Her Loving Family				
Saturday 11/15/25	5:00 PM SA	Dee Sementelli by Bill and Family				
Sunday	8:00 AM IC	People of the Parish				
11/16/25	9:30 AM SA	Yvonne Dumm by Dave and Family				

HOLY SPIRIT PARISH EVENTS					
MONDAY, 11/10/25					
CGS Level 1: 10:45 AM – PC Atrium					
LAMBS: 1 PM – PC – Sm Room					
SA Choir Practice: 4:30 PM - PC Sm Room					
Christian Initiation: 6 PM – PC 2nd Floor					
K of C: 6:30 PM - PC 2 nd Floor					
TUESDAY, 11/11/25					
HSP Book Club: 6:00 PM – Contact Office					
CDA: 6:30-8 PM – PC Lg Room					
WEDNESDAY, 11/12/25					
THURSDAY, 11/13/25					
Adoration: 9-10 AM – IC					
Spiritual Life: 4 PM – PC					
Parish Finance Council: 5 PM - PC					
FRIDAY, 11/14/25					

Confessional Confessions: 4 PM – SA

SUNDAY, 11/16/25

IC Choir: 7:30 AM – IC Church Basement
Religious Ed: 10:30 AM-12:00 PM – PC

"Truly I tell you, whatever
you did for one of the least of

these brothers and sisters of

SATURDAY, 11/15/25

Matthew 25:40

mine, you did for me."

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Feast of the Dedication of the Lateran Basilica – November 9, 2025 Month of the Holy Souls in Purgatory



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

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

<u>Saturdays</u>

11:00 AM – Immaculate Conception Church 4:00 PM – St. Agnes Church or anytime upon request

The Lateran Basilica

In 313, the Roman emperor Constantine published the Edict of Milan, granting religious freedom to Christians. Constantine himself donated the palace of the Lateran, a portion of his wife's dowry, to the Church for its first basilica. The Lateran is the cathedral of the Bishop of Rome, the pope, and ranks as the "mother and head of all the churches in the city and the world." One of Rome's most imposing churches, the Lateran's towering facade is crowned with 15 colossal statues of Christ, John the Baptist and 12 doctors of the Church. Beneath its high altar rests the remains of the small wooden table on which tradition holds St. Peter himself celebrated Mass.

Holly Mart News

Don't forget!! Holly Mart is still going on this Sunday, November 9th, from 9:00 AM to 1:00 PM! Join us for the Silent Auction, New to You, Theme Baskets, Baked Goods and Much. much more! And remember, Santa Claus will be making an appearance at the Holly Mart on Sunday from 9-1.

Help is needed for take down and clean up after the Holly Mart festivities on Sunday afternoon around 2:00 PM. If you are available, please stop by the LHCS gym and land a hand!

Rosary for Mary

The Rosary to Mary for the month of November is from Mary Ann Kies.

The Rosary that had been previously placed in October is currently placed at Mary's feet and available to be returned. In the future, when a month is completed, we will hold your Rosary in the office to be returned.

We have had a great response, so please contact the office to reserve a month for your Rosary. God bless!



Holy Spirit Parish will provide food boxes with all of the ingredients to cook a Thanksgiving Meal.

Each box is designed to feed 10 people.

If you are in need of a box, call the office and sign up with Janis by November 14th!

Boxes will be ready for pick up at the office on Friday, November 21st. Janis will assign a time!

HOW CAN I HELP?

Last week I spoke to you about the crisis looming in our community, the efforts that are being made to meet the needs of struggling families, and the areas in which you may help. Here is further information.

- You may deliver non-perishable goods to the various food distribution centers in our area (New Love Center, Salvation Army, Beech Creek Lions, St. John Loganton, St. Paul Rte 64, or stop by Triangle Park on a Saturday 11 AM to 1 PM).
- You may make monetary donations to the Clinton County Ministerium for fuel assistance. Simply place you donation made out to CCM in an envelope marked "One Gallon Challenge" and drop it in the collection basket. You may also help with rent or other emergency needs by writing on the envelope "Undesignated Fund".
- You may make donations to our parish "Outreach" which will help with parishioner needs, meals, and food packages.
- You may volunteer to help with preparing meals or with delivering food to those who cannot make it to a food distribution center. You may call the office to help out with parish efforts or contact the Clinton County Community Assembly, and they will put you in contact with organizations in need of volunteers. Contact Sara 717-304-2944
 - or email <u>LockHaveninfo@vmcenter.org</u> or stop by the Veterans Multi-Service Center 8 N. Grove St, Suite 2.
- And never forget that our greatest source of support comes from God through prayer.

HURRICANE RELIEF

You may be wondering how you might help those affected by the recent hurricane in Jamaica. Coming up later this month we will be taking up a Thanksgiving collection for the people of Mandeville, Jamaica. This would be a great way to get relief to those most in need. Please, be generous with your contributions. If you can't find the envelope, just put your check in any envelope and mark it Jamaica. On behalf of your brothers and sisters, "Thank you".

The church is also taking up collections of the following items to add to the Thanksgiving Food Boxes: toothpaste, deodorant, shampoo, bars of soap, bottles of dish soap. Donations can be left in the back of the churches or taken to the office. Thank you so much for your generosity.

Eucharistic Adoration

Eucharistic Adoration is scheduled for one hour after morning Mass at IC Church **Thursday, November** 13th. All are invited and encouraged to participate in this special Holy Hour in the presence of the Blessed Sacrament. This is a perfect opportunity to reflect on God's blessings and cultivate a heart of gratitude as we prepare for the Thanksgiving season.

FAIR MEETING

Mark your calendars!!! There will be a Holy Spirit Parish 2026 Fair Meeting on Thursday, November 20th, 5:00 to 6:30 PM. All are welcome!!!

Book of Remembrance

One of the traditions of our parish is the compilation and entry into a Book of Remembrance all the names of parishioners who passed on from this life between November's All Souls Day and the following All Souls Day. Holy Spirit Parish lost 42 people in the recently completed 12-month period. The books and their names can be found on the altars at both IC and SA. Pray for their souls. Thank you to Mary Lou Putek for her assiduous and timely preparation of the yearly books.



On **Saturday December 13**th the Knights of Columbus will be sponsoring "Breakfast With Santa". The breakfast is FREE and will start at 9:00 AM in the Parish Center, with Santa arriving at 10:00 AM. RSVP THE FOLLOWING WAYS:

- Call the Office at 570-748-4594
- Sign up in the back of either church
- Register online at forms.gle/qQZSrJUgNxu2KEcDA

Called by Name

Today is Called by Name Sunday! Bishop Bartchak is asking us to identify faithful young men (ages 15-30's) who exhibit qualities of leadership and service, and who may be open to learning more about the priesthood. To submit names, please visit ajvocations.org/calledbyname. Men you submit will receive a letter of encouragement from Bishop Bartchak, invitations to discernment events, and support from our Vocation Team. Thank you for your participation in this important campaign!

Stewardship REFLECTION

Today's readings challenge us to focus on the "why" of stewardship. Why embrace this challenging way of life when it seems hard enough just to pay the bills, take care of our loved ones, meet the demands of our jobs, and fall into bed at the end of each full day? Because this life is not all there is. We were made for more – for eternal happiness in union with God. While we cannot earn our way into Heaven, what we do now with the life God has given us has eternal consequences. Stewardship living helps us to keep focused on our hoped-for destination in the choices we make each day.

In our Gospel passage from Luke, Christ reminds us very clearly that we were made for more than just this life and that our choices in this life have eternal consequences. In this passage, our Lord corrects some Sadducees for their mistaken notion that there is no resurrection. He instructs that "those who are deemed worth to attain to the coming age and to the resurrection of the dead... can no longer die, for they are like angels; and they are the children of God because they are the ones who will rise."

We should embrace the stewardship way of life to thank God for all His gifts to us and so that we may attain the gift of eternal life and the everlasting happiness of Heaven with Him.

Prayers to Mary

The candle for the first two weeks of November at the statue of the Blessed Virgin Mary at St. Agnes Church is burning in memory of **Rocco Graziano** by his wife, Mary Louise Graziano.

Sanctuary Candles

The sanctuary candle for the first two weeks of November at Saint Agnes Church is burning in memory of **Michael Probst** by his Loving Family.

The sanctuary candle for the first two weeks of November at Immaculate Conception Church is burning in memory of **Father Daniel O'Neill** by Marilyn and John Gallagher.



"Bury my body, but not my life"