

MINISTRIES SCHEDULE

July 25th and 26th

LECTORS

SA	5:00 PM	Patty Selfe
IC	8:00 AM	Donna Shank
SA	9:30 AM	Autumn Dershem

ALTAR SERVERS

SA	5:00 PM	Marty Urbanic
IC	8:00 AM	Savannah Persun and Eloise Darwin
SA	9:30 AM	Ryker Gill and Eli Miller

MASS INTENTIONS

Monday 7/20/26	8:30 AM SA	Liturgy of the Word
Tuesday 7/21/26	8:30 AM IC	Liturgy of the Word
Wednesday 7/22/26	8:30 AM SA	Liturgy of the Word
Thursday 7/23/26	8:30 AM IC	Liturgy of the Word
Friday 7/24/26	8:30 AM SA	Liturgy of the Word
Saturday 7/25/26	5:00 PM SA	Dorothy Rizzo McHenry by Calvin McHenry and Daughters
Sunday 7/26/26	8:00 AM IC	Connie Sohmer by Joe Sohmer
	9:30 AM SA	People of the Parish

HOLY SPIRIT PARISH EVENTS

MONDAY, 7/20/26

TUESDAY, 7/21/26

Acorn School Summer Camp: 9 AM-12 PM – PC
Christian Initiation: 5 PM – PC

WEDNESDAY, 7/22/26

Acorn School Summer Camp: 9 AM-12 PM – PC

THURSDAY, 7/23/26

Acorn School Summer Camp: 9 AM-12 PM – PC

FRIDAY, 7/24/26

SATURDAY, 7/25/26

Confessional Confessions: 4 PM – SA

SUNDAY, 7/26/26

Success
is getting
what you want,
happiness
is wanting
what you get.

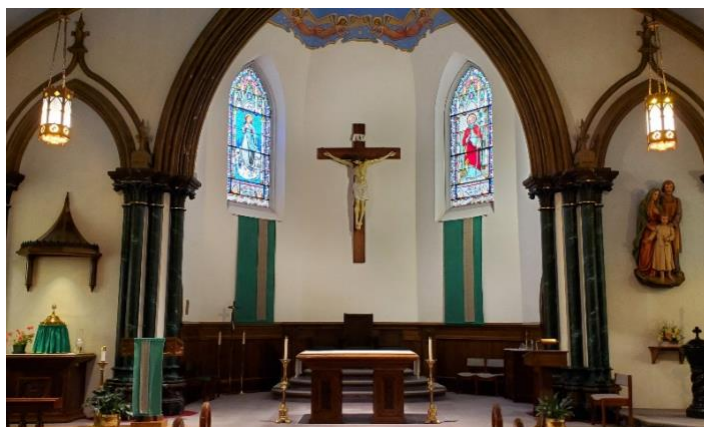
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Holy Spirit Parish

Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time – July 19, 2026
Month of the Precious Blood 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

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

Be Available to Those You Love

The greatest moments in life rarely announce themselves when they arrive, making it truly important that you fully savor them when they do occur. They often come in the form of a conversation you almost skipped, a call you almost didn't answer, a dinner you almost canceled, or a child who asks, "Can we play one more game!" It might be the most underrated aspect of life, but having the wherewithal to be present to the people we love and to the opportunities those situations present to us, become our most treasured memories. Years from now, you won't remember any of the emails you answered, the errands you completed, or the meetings you attended. But you will certainly recall the conversations and times you almost missed with the ones you loved.

John O'Leary/Daily Encouragement

The Holy Spirit Parish End of Summer Bash

Mark your calendars for the **Holy Spirit Parish End of Summer Bash** on **Saturday, August 15th**, from **4:00-9:00 PM** at **St. Agnes Church!**

Join us for an evening of **food, family fun, local vendors, bingo, games, and fellowship** as we celebrate the end of summer together. There will be something for everyone to enjoy!

Interested in being a vendor? Vendor applications are now available! Please pick up a registration form at the back of the church or contact the parish office for more information.

Completed vendor applications may be **returned to the parish office by mail, placed in the weekend collection basket, or dropped off at the parish office during regular business hours.**

All vendor applications must be received by Monday, August 10th.

We look forward to seeing you there!

ACORN'S 8 WEEKS OF SUMMER FUN!

Acorn School Summer Camp is starting the **seventh week** of their 8 week camp filled with fun, learning, creativity, movement, and adventure.

Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday, July 21st, 22nd, and 23rd, 9:00 AM-12:00 PM.

The seventh week theme is **Summer Olympics**.



The family of **Mary Lou Putek** cordially invites the **Holy Spirit community** to join us for a special celebration in honor of her **90th birthday**.

All parishioners are invited to an Open House honoring Mary Lou on:

Saturday, August 15, 2026 ~ 1:00 to 4:00 PM

The Village Tavern

525 East Bald Eagle Street

Lock Haven, PA

Drop in anytime to share a hug, a story, and a special moment with Mary Lou as we celebrate nine amazing decades. There will be appetizers, refreshments, and dessert served throughout the afternoon.

Come as you are! Please, no gifts and no RSVP required.

Questions: Contact Gwen Putek Echols via email/text/phone:

gpechols77@gmail.com or 214-202-2849

Featured Saint

St. Mary Magdalene
Feast Day - July 22



Each July 22nd, the Church celebrates the **Feast of St. Mary Magdalene**, one of the greatest saints of the Bible and a legendary example of God's mercy and grace. The precise dates of her birth and death are unknown, but we do know she was present during the public ministry, death, and resurrection of Jesus. She is

mentioned at least a dozen times in the Gospels. Mary Magdalene has long been regarded as sexually immoral in western Christianity, but this is not supported in the scriptures. It is believed she was a Jewish woman who lived among the Gentiles, living as they did. Despite the scholarly dispute over her background, she was a sinner whom Jesus saved, giving us an example of how no person is beyond the saving power of God.

Catholic Online



Cross Catholic OUTREACH



Catholic Daughters of the Americas, Court Ave Maria #399, is excited to announce our “**Box of Joy**” Christmas outreach thru Cross Catholic. Our goal this year is to provide 108 shoeboxes for children in Haiti, Central America or South America.

We have been fundraising, crafting handmade rosaries and purses, and collecting fun and essential items throughout the year.

We will need your help to purchase the following items to fill our shoeboxes. Listed below are suggested items we are asking our parish family to purchase. Items can be dropped in the Box of Joy Baskets at the rear of the church July thru August or at the parish office.

General Items:

Crayons, coloring books, children’s scissors, colored pencils, pencil sharpeners, erasers, hair ribbons, bows, elastic ties

Age Specific Items:

Girls (ages 2-4)

Coloring books, simple dresses or tops, flip flops, small toys, small puzzles (5 in. or less)

Boys (ages 2-4)

Summer t-shirts, Matchbox cars, flip flops, coloring books

Girls (ages 5-9)

Summer tops/dresses, coloring books

Boys (ages 10-14)

T-shirts, wallet

The cost for shipping and handling of each shoebox is \$9. Part of this supports Cross Catholic outreach to the poor. Those who prefer not to shop can help in this way. Please make checks out to **CDA, Court Ave Maria #399** and drop them in the offertory baskets during mass.

Thank you for helping with this ministry. Our hope is that these gifts will open their hearts to His great abundance of love and make us aware of how richly He has provided for us.

Please keep these children in your prayers during this outreach. Thank you!

Stewardship REFLECTION

Today’s readings are filled with lessons both cautionary and consoling for the Christian steward. Our first reading, from the book of Wisdom, reminds us that our God is kind, all-powerful as well as merciful. “For You show Your might when the perfection of Your power is disbelieved... But though You are master of might, You judge with clemency.” God is indeed kind and loving, but He is also a just judge and the day will come when we will have to give an account for what we have done with the gifts of time, talent, and treasure that He entrusted to us during our lifetime. We will be judged by God for the part we played – or did not play – in the building of His kingdom.

We are never alone in this work, however, as we are reminded in our second reading from the letter to the Romans. “The Spirit comes to the aid of our weakness... the Spirit himself intercedes with inexpressible groaning.” We must turn to the Holy Spirit continuously to guide us in our daily lives as Christian stewards. The Holy Spirit will give us the strength we need to remain faithful to the unique mission the Father has given us .



Prayers to Mary

The candle for the second two weeks of July at the statue of the Blessed Virgin Mary at St. Agnes Church is burning in memory of Nelle and Clair Bower and Rose Anne Dionne by Laurie Bower.

Sanctuary Candles

The sanctuary candle for the second two weeks of July at St. Agnes Church is burning in memory of **Richard Hull** by His Loving Family.

Peter’s Pence

The **Peter’s Pence Collection** is a worldwide collection that supports the work of the Universal Church, including the work of the Holy See and the charitable works of Pope Leo XIV. Please take this opportunity to join with Pope Leo XIV to be a sign of hope to our suffering brothers and sisters. Please be as generous as you can. For more information, visit www.obolodisanpietro.va/en.html

There are offering envelopes in the vestibules of both churches. Thank you.