

MINISTRIES SCHEDULE

July 4th and 5th

LECTORS

SA	5:00 PM	Grace Johnson
IC	8:00 AM	Helen Prien
SA	9:30 AM	Connie Young

ALTAR SERVERS

SA	5:00 PM	Michael Nestor
IC	8:00 AM	Volunteers
SA	9:30 AM	Aiden Savrock and Michael Nestor

MASS INTENTIONS

Monday 7/6/26	8:30 AM SA	Liturgy of the Word
Tuesday 7/7/26	8:30 AM IC	Liturgy of the Word
Wednesday 7/8/26	8:30 AM SA	Liturgy of the Word
Thursday 7/9/26	8:30 AM IC	Liturgy of the Word
Friday 7/10/26	8:30 AM SA	Liturgy of the Word
Saturday 7/11/26	5:00 PM SA	Living & Deceased Members of the Joseph Sanders, Jr. by Pat Sanders
Sunday 7/12/26	8:00 AM IC	Robert Carey by his Wife and Family
	9:30 AM SA	People of the Parish

HOLY SPIRIT PARISH EVENTS

MONDAY, 7/6/26

TUESDAY, 7/7/26

Office Closed

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

WEDNESDAY, 7/8/26

Office Closed

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

THURSDAY, 7/9/26

Office Closed

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

FRIDAY, 7/10/26

Office Closed

SATURDAY, 7/11/26

Confessional Confessions: 4 PM – SA

SUNDAY, 7/12/26



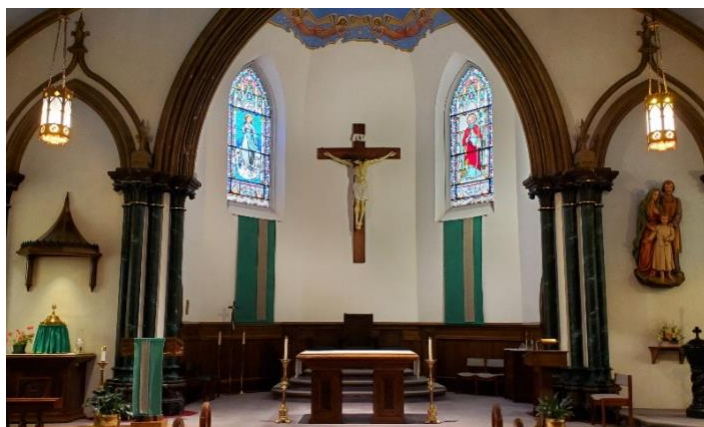
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Holy Spirit Parish

Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time – July 5th, 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

Welcome Father Bob

We are excited to welcome Father Bob from *Food for the Poor* to Holy Spirit Parish from July 10th to 12th! During his visit, Father Bob is looking forward to meeting members of our parish family, exploring our beautiful area, and learning about its history.

If you would be willing to help with his visit by:

- Hosting Father Bob for a meal
- Providing transportation to or from the airport
- Giving him a ride before or after Mass
- Showing him some of the local sights

We would greatly appreciate your generosity and hospitality. If you are able to help in any way, please contact Janis at the parish office.

While Father Bob is with us, **Father Orr, Deacon Chuck, and Deacon Dan will be attending the youth conference in Steubenville with our parish youth.** Please keep them, our young people, and their chaperones in your prayers. May they have safe travels and be open to the guidance of the Holy Spirit throughout their pilgrimage. Thank you for your continued generosity, hospitality, and prayers!

Support Catholic Education in Pennsylvania

The Pennsylvania Catholic Conference is encouraging all parishioners to contact their state legislators and ask them to **oppose House Bill 2632.**

According to the Pennsylvania Catholic Conference, HB 2632 would make significant changes to the Educational Improvement Tax Credit (EITC) program by reducing funding and adding new administrative requirements. The Conference believes these changes could negatively impact scholarship opportunities that help families choose a Catholic education for their children.

If you would like to make your voice heard, please use the Pennsylvania Catholic Conference's Voter Voice tool to quickly send a message to your State Representative and State Senator. The process only takes a few moments.

Take action here:

[Pennsylvania Catholic Conference Voter Voice](https://forms.gle/h4uTm41tpR1juG158) - tinyurl.com/EITCSUPPORT

Thank you for supporting Catholic education and advocating for the families who rely on these important scholarship programs.

Peter's Pence

Next week we will take up the Peter's Pence collection to support the Universal Church and the work of the Holy See, including the charitable works of Pope Leo XIV. These works benefit our brothers and sisters on the margins of society, including victims of war, oppression and disasters. Be a sign of hope with your generosity. For more information, visit www.obolodisanpietro.va/en.html

Point to Ponder

"If you choose not to find joy in the snow, you will have less joy in your life but still the same amount of snow."

Richard Precht, German Philosopher and Author

ACORN'S 8 WEEKS OF SUMMER FUN!

Acorn School Summer Camp is starting the fifth week of their 8 week camp filled with fun, learning, creativity, movement, and adventure. The fifth week theme is **Little Explorers.**

Ages- 5-12 Registration Fee \$35/per camper \$50/per family 📅 June 9th – July 30th 🕒 Tuesdays, Wednesdays, and Thursdays 🕒 9:00 AM – 12:00 PM **Campers must be registered in advance with a completed waiver. \$10 daily drop-in rate after registration.** ✨

Register here:

<https://forms.gle/h4uTm41tpR1juG158>

Spots are limited, so sign up today!

Proclaim! NIGHT WITH THE ALTOONA CURVE

In celebration of the 125th anniversary of the Diocese of Altoona-Johnstown, *Proclaim!* is sponsoring a night with the Altoona Curve on August 14th at PNG Field in Altoona. The game starts at 6:00 PM, but before the game, *Proclaim!* is hosting a picnic supper at 5:00 PM. Game tickets are \$9 for adults; \$7 dollars for children ages 3-12. The picnic supper is free with the purchase of a game ticket. To purchase tickets, contact Cory Homan at the Altoona Curve at 814-283-3128 or choman@altoonacurve.com.

As part of the celebration, the Very Rev. Frank Sconaienchi, TOR, the Very Reverend Matthew Baum, and Father Michael Pleva will throw out the ceremonial first pitch.

The Sound of Silence

Often in life, our prayers of intercession and help to God seemingly go unanswered, leading to the challenge of maintaining our faith in the course of our prayer life. This apparent lack of response on God's part by no means points to an absence of concern on the Almighty's part. We know that God hears and that he will respond in a decisive way, but his silence poses a severe test to our faith in prayer. How do we deal with seemingly unanswered prayers and the ensuing dry spells when the silence can be deafening? Do we assume that God is oblivious to our needs and give up, or do we persist in our intercessions to God? Sometimes those periods of apparent silence occur when we are able to hear the voice of the Lord with greatest clarity and understanding. Such moments draw us out to the deep waters of faith, out beyond the breakers, when we can no longer touch bottom and understand things from our limited perspective. Even when all we hear in our prayer is the empty sound of silence, trust that we are encased into the profound mystery of God's abiding presence.

Fr. Joseph Torchia, O.P., Providence College, RI

Save the Date **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!

Stewardship REFLECTION

The theme of humility is central to our readings today. God Himself is a humble God, so if we wish to follow Him as Christian stewards, we too must be humble. In fact, humility is key to the stewardship way of life, and to a peaceful and fulfilling life. Our first reading from Zechariah foretells the unexpected way in which the Lord, the Savior of the world, will arrive. "See, your king shall come to you, a just savior is he, meek and riding on an ass... and he shall proclaim peace to the nations." It is almost unfathomable that our almighty and all-powerful God would humble Himself to live among us as one of our own, let alone to contemplate the unassuming way in which He arrived – born as a helpless baby, growing up under the care of human parents and finally making his entrance as savior on a lowly colt. Christ has given us a clear and compelling model of humility. Let us resolve to follow in the footsteps of our Savior, embracing the humble path of stewardship. It is the path that leads to peace here and now, and ultimately leads us to heaven.



Prayers to Mary

The candle for the second first two weeks of July at the statue of the Blessed Virgin Mary at St. Agnes Church is burning in memory of **Ken Sohmer** by Alison Sohmer.

Sanctuary Candles

The sanctuary candle for the first two weeks of July at St. Agnes Church is burning in memory of **Mary Jane and Bobby Wilson** by Bud and Jean Hesler.

2026 Together We Stand RAFFLE RESULTS

The \$25,000 winner was a young lady from Most Holy Trinity in Huntingdon.

One parishioner from Holy Spirit won a \$100 consolation prize. Holy Spirit Parish sold 605 tickets, which along with donations, brought in \$17,931.84 after expenses. Both Lock Haven Catholic School and the Acorn Preschool also made money selling tickets for the 2026 Together We Stand raffle.