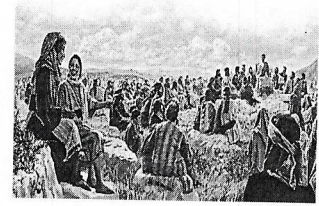




St. Mary of the Assumption Wyalusing

Our Lady of Catholic Parish Perpetual Help

Extends a Warm Welcome to All



LK 6:17, 20-26

Mission Statement: We bring together a parish family to worship God, to evangelize the community, to encourage participation of youth and young adults in parish life, to pass on our faith to the next generation, to respect life and be good stewards of God's gifts.

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GIVE GLORY TO GOD

Today's Liturgy of the Word offers insight into what it means to glorify God. It is not about just praising occasionally with words, but rather, it is about glorifying God with our lives. What we say and what we do ought to glorify God every day. Jesus has shown us this way by his very life, from his public ministry to his passion and resurrection.

THE SANCTURARY CANDLE WILL BURN IN LOVING MEMORY

THROUGHOUT THE MONTH OF May for Dorothy Stoddard and

Genevieve Burke. As they shared in the sufferings of Christ, so may

they now share in the glory of the risen Savior in Heaven.

SEVENTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

May 21, 2023

Parish Worship, The Lord's Day

Vigil: 6:00 PM

Sunday: 11:00 AM

Weekday Mass 12 noon Wednesday & Friday

Holy Days: 12 noon

Confessions: 5:30 pm Saturdays

Sundays 10:30 am

* or as scheduled in this bulletin

READINGS

MAY 22, 2023

MONDAY

ACTS 19:1-8

JOHN 16:29-33

MAY 23, 2023

TUESDAY

ACTS 20:17-27

JOHN 17:1-11A

MAY 24, 2023

WEDNESDAY

ACTS 20:28

JOHN 17:11B-19

MAY 25 2023

THURSDAY

ACTS 22:30; 23:6-11

JOHN 17:20-26

MAY 26 2023

FRIDAY

ACTS 25:13B-21

JOHN 21:15-19

MAY 27 2023

SATURDAY

ACTS 28:16-20, 30-31

JOHN 21:20-25

MAY 28, 2023

SUNDAY

ACTS 2:1-11

JOHN 20:19-23

1 CORINTHIANS 12:3B-7,12-13

PARISH BULLETIN CALENDAR

COMING EVENTS, MEETINGS, GATHERINGS, ETC.

EVERY FIRST FRIDAY: Mass to end abortion, Rosary at 11:00 AM and Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament before the 12:00 Noon Mass

MAY 24TH – WEDNESDAY – Combined Confirmation at SS Peter and Paul Towanda 5:00 PM

MAY 24TH – WEDNESDAY – PICNIC MEETING IN THE HALL AT 5:00 PM

JULY 16TH – SUNDAY – ANNUAL PICNIC

PLEASE PRAY FOR THOSE ENTRUSTED IN OUR PRAYERS FOR HEALING:

Lilly Salsman,, Grace George, Marian Miller, Victoria Rayappan, Ray Tenasco, Fred & Doris Storey, Theresa Ann VanDeMark, Betty Kitchnefsky, Stephanie McDevitt, Barbara Bodine, Cathy Stienbaugh, Pat Hiduke, Sue Mullen, Mary Salay, Robert Gaumer, Lorraine, Cindy, Michael, Silver Dempsey

PLEASE CALL THE OFFICE IF THERE ARE SICK, HOSPITALIZED, HOMEBOUND, OR ANY CHANGES TO THE LIST ABOVE – THANK YOU

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF COMMUNION NEEDED!

Beginning Holy Week, Father Jose has requested Eucharistic Ministers to once again serve at Mass. Since COVID, one of our Ministers moved and several others, for health reasons, can no longer serve. We are presently looking for volunteers to help our parish in this capacity, and training will be provided. Please call the Parish Office at 570-746-1006 or contact Ellen Armitage at 570-903-0563 and leave your name and number and we will return your call. Thank you for “answering the call” to keep our Parish active.

PARISH MEMBERSHIP

You must be a registered member of the Parish to receive Baptism, First Holy Communion, Confirmation, Marriage and to receive Sponsor Certificates/letters etc. Anyone who is not registered, is asked to contact the Parish Office. New parishioners are always welcome!

MASS SCHEDULE FOR WEEK OF MAY 22ND – MAY 28TH

	INTENTION	OFFERED BY
Wednesday, May 24 th	NO MASS	NO MASS
Friday, May 26 th	NO MASS	NO MASS
Saturday, May 27 th 6:00 PM	Repose of the Soul of June Kinney	Norma Lee Farrell
Sunday, May 28 th 11:00 AM	Repose of the Soul of Joseph Brostoski	John & Ellen Armitage

MINISTRY

Lector Schedule

Sat., May 27th
6:00 PM

Eva Weaver

Sun., May 28th
11:00 AM

Lou Ann Kilmer

INDIA SECOND COLLECTION

This weekend, May 20th and 21st, there will be a mission appeal for Father Jose home Diocese of Kottappuram in India. Since there are no special envelopes, your contribution for the second collection should be made out Our Lady of Perpetual Help for Father Jose's home diocese.

HAPPY WAGON NEEDS SOME HAPPY!

Our Happy Wagon is ready to be filled! Please bring in your spirits, wine, soda or snacks to the Parish Office. Our annual Parish Picnic will be held on Sunday, July 16th. If you have any questions, you may contact Joe or Mary Ann.

BASKET RAFFLE

St. Mary's picnic is quickly approaching (July 16th), and so is our basket raffle. We have had some outstanding baskets in the past and your help with making this year's basket raffle a success is greatly appreciated. Ellen and John tell us that some popular baskets in the past have been gift certificates, lottery tickets, cash, but people still do like baskets for pets, and gardening. They also said to "think outside the basket like lawn chairs, coolers", etc. Also, baskets for the youngsters and bikes have also been very popular. If you have trouble finding or making a basket, just drop off your items at the office or church and we will take care of it for you. If anyone has any empty baskets and would like to donate them, it would be greatly appreciated. All raffle baskets should be dropped off to the church or office by the weekend of June 17th/18th. If you have questions, please contact the church office at 570-746-1006.

Ministers of Communion

Sat., May 27th
6:00PM-Armitage

Sun., May 28th -
11:00AM - Ellen
Armitage & Ann Marie

CHRISTIAN STEWARDSHIP

Loose	142.00
Offertory Env	2,431.00
Dues	21.00
Mother's Day	123.00
Picnic	75.00
Acension	25.00
Easter	10.00

Total Offering to Parish

General Fund

\$2,827.00

Building Fund	95.00
Cemetery	69.00
Total	164.00

NAT'L COLLECT FUNDS TO DIOCESAN OFFICE

Care Priest	13.00
Total	13.00

TOTAL DEPOSITS

\$3,004.00

THE MONTH OF MAY is dedicated to the Blessed Virgin Mary. In honor of her first apparition at Fatima on May 13, 1917, we are excited to share the book, "Fatima: A Message More Urgent Than Ever." Please be sure to pick up your copies at the entrances of the church for you, your family and your friends. Let's spread the urgent message of Fatima to everyone we know.

EASTERTIDE MORNINGS WITH JESUS

St. Mary's will be open for you to continue celebrating Jesus' Resurrection throughout the Easter season (50 days). The church will be open at 7AM....What a perfect way to start your day in front of the tabernacle where Jesus continues to wait for us to spend time with him. The church will close around 2:00 PM. The Church celebrates the Ester season (also known as "Eastertide") for 50 days, culminating with the Feast of Pentecost, where Scripture (Acts 2:1-31) tells us that the Holy Spirit descended on the Apostles.

TIPS FROM A MOM OF 13

Tip #344 It was so much fun to see them get into sports. We always had a place to go. They were competitive but they also knew that they couldn't always win. Our hearts were full of love for them when they congratulated the winners

SPRING CEMETERIES CLEAN UP

The St. Bonaventure Cemetery clean - up is under way. If anyone wants something saved from a grave site, please remove it as soon as possible.

POSSIBLE BUS TRIP

A bus trip to "Sight & Sound's "Moses" is being considered by a bus company in Towanda. It is dependent on enough interest and would probably be in August. If you are interested, please call the church office and let Kathy know. If the trip becomes a reality, details will follow.