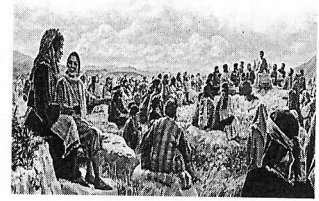




St. Mary of the Assumption Wyalusing

# 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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## **The seed is the word of God, Christ is the sower**

*The image of the seed that Jesus offers in today's parable can call*

*us to see more clearly and to listen more carefully. This seeing*

*and hearing requires a posture of wonder, a posture of careful*

*attentiveness. Can we slow down and marvel, watching with*

*anticipation to see what God will do?*

## **THE SANCTURARY CANDLE WILL BURN IN LOVING**

**MEMORY THROUGHOUT THE MONTH OF JULY for Larry  
Terasavage. As he shared in the sufferings of Christ, so may he  
now share in the glory of the risen Savior in heaven.**

## **15TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

**July 16, 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**

**JULY 17 2023**

**MONDAY**

**EXODUS 18-14, 11  
MATTHEW 10:34-11:1**

**JULY 18, 2023**

**TUESDAY**

**EXODUS 2:1-15A  
MATTHEW 11:20-24**

**JULY 19, 2023**

**WEDNESDAY**

**EXODUS 3:1-6, 9-12  
MATTHEW 11:25-27**

**JULY 20, 2023**

**THURSDAY**

**EXODUS 3:13-20  
MATTHEW 11:28-30**

**JULY 21, 2023**

**FRIDAY**

**EXODUS 11:10-12:14  
MATTHEW 12:1-8**

**JULY 22, 2023**

**SATURDAY**

**SONG OF SONGS 3:1-4B  
JOHN 20:1-2, 11-18**

**JULY 23, 2023**

**SUNDAY**

**WISDOM 12:13, 16-19  
MATTHEW 13:24-43**

## MASS SCHEDULE FOR WEEK OF JULY 17TH – JULY 23RD

	INTENTION	OFFERED BY
Wednesday, July 19 <sup>th</sup> 5:30 PM	Our Parishioners	Father Jose
Friday, July 21 <sup>st</sup> 12:00 Noon	Repose of the Soul of Rita Peed	Larry & Marilyn Burke
Saturday, July 22 <sup>nd</sup> 6:00 PM	Repose of the Soul of Hunter Foust	Kilmer Family
Sunday, July 23 <sup>rd</sup> 11:00 AM	Repose of the Soul of Douglas Cogswell	John & Ellen Armitage

### MINISTRY

#### Lector Schedule

Sat., July 22<sup>nd</sup>  
6:00 PM

Scott Latoski

Sun., July 23<sup>rd</sup>

11:00 AM

Eva Weaver

### MASS OF REMEMBRANCE

The Diocese of Scranton is offering the annual Mass in remembrance of victims of violent or tragic death. This Mass is scheduled for Tuesday, July 25, 2023 at 7:00 PM in ST. Peter's Cathedral, 315 Wyoming, Scranton. All persons who have lost a loved one through tragic and traumatic death are invited to this liturgy. Please register your deceased loved ones on the website at [www.dioceseofscranton.org](http://www.dioceseofscranton.org) by July 19, 2023.

### VOLUNTEERS NEEDED FOR PRO-LIFE BOOTH AT TROY FAIR – JULY 24-29<sup>TH</sup>

Two persons per two-hour shift. No special knowledge or training is needed; there will be materials and balloons provided to hand out to visitors at the booth. The booth display offers messages which include: "Life is the First Human Right," Defending human life from conception to natural death," and more. Our volunteers have said that it is a very positive experience and fun! If there is a day when you already plan to enjoy the fair, consider spending a couple hours in the shade at the Pro-Life booth. To volunteer, or for more information, please contact Marilyn Burke at 570-746-1280, or email [fatimamiracle13@frontier.net](mailto:fatimamiracle13@frontier.net).

### SOLEMN NOVENA TO SAINT ANN TO OPEN IN SCRANTON

The 99<sup>th</sup> annual Solemn Novena to Saint Ann at the Basilica of the National Shrine of Saint Ann in West Scranton, in honor the mother of the Blessed Virgin Mary, will open on Monday, July 17<sup>th</sup>. It will continue with nine days of Eucharistic worship, devotional prayer and preaching, culminating with the celebration of the Feast of Saint Ann on Wednesday, July 26<sup>th</sup>.

### TIPS FROM A MOM OF 13

If your children are still little, love them and I mean love them a lot. My grown children are scattered around this country. Texas and Florida being the furthest places. I can't hug them as much as I want to, but when they come home I make up for it!!

### Ministers of Communion

Sun., July 23<sup>rd</sup>

11:00 AM

Cathy Hagadorn

Agnes Gowin

### CHRISTIAN STEWARDSHIP WEEK OF

7/9/2023

Loose 104.00

Offertory Env 2,537.00

Dues 15.00

Picnic 15.00

Total Offering to Parish  
General Fund

\$2,671.00

Additional Acct Depo

Cemetery 50.00

Building 210.0

Total 260.00

NAT'L COLLECT  
FUNDS TO  
DIOCESAN OFFICE

Care of Priests 20.00

Total 20.00

TOTAL DEPOSITS

\$2,951.00

## PARISH BULLETIN CALENDAR

### COMING EVENTS, MEETINGS, GATHERINGS, ETC.

EVERY FIRST FRIDAY: MASS TO END ABORTION, ROSARY AT 11:00 AM & ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT BEFORE THE 12:00 NOON MASS

JULY 16<sup>TH</sup>- SUNDAY – ANNUAL PICNIC – 11 AM – 3:00 PM

JULY 19<sup>TH</sup> WEDNESDAY – PARISH COUNCIL MEETING AFTER 5:30 PM MASS

JULY 26<sup>TH</sup> WEDNESDAY – FINANCE COUNCIL MEETING AFTER 5:30 PM MASS

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED AND PLEASE PRAY FOR THOSE ENTRUSTED IN OUR PRAYERS FOR HEALING: Joshua Douglas, Potter Schools, Lilly Salsman,, Grace George, Marian Miller, Victoria Rayappan, Ray Tenasco, Fred & Doris Storey, Betty Kitchnefsky, Stephanie McDevitt, Barbara Bodine, Cathy Stienbaugh, Pat Hiduke, Sue Mullen, Mary Salay, Robert Gaumer, Lorraine, Cindy, Michael, Silver Dempsey, Nico, Janice Walker, Jean Caine

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

### OLOPH PICNIC UPDATE:

Picnic Day, Sunday, July 16<sup>th</sup> – 8:30 AM – Move tables, chairs, baskets outside

9:00 AM – Kitchen & Dining area help

3:00-3:30 PM – Clean up

Thank you to all who helped out with donations, manual work, cooking, set-up and clean-up. This goes a long way in making the picnic a success!!