



St. Mary of the Assumption Catholic Church Wyalusing

Our Lady of Perpetual Help

Extends a Warm Welcome to All

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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FACEBOOK Our Lady of
Perpetual Help Parish

Blessing of Branches

We begin the holiest week of the year by holding palm branches in our hands, which recall the palm branches the crowds used two thousand years ago to welcome the Lord into the holy city. Our palm branches are blessed, for they also welcome the Lord to this holy place. Though the people of Jerusalem had no idea what the true nature of Jesus' triumph would soon be, we do and so we anticipate Jesus' ultimate victory while recognizing the intense suffering and profound grief that will accompany it. Let us raise our voices along with our branches as we sing out as even the stones will, "Blessed is the king who comes in the name of the Lord!"

Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord
April 13, 2025

Mass Schedule at Our Lady of Perpetual Help, Wyalusing

Saturday Vigil – 6:00 PM Sunday – 11:00 AM
Wednesday – 10:00 AM & Friday – 12:00 Noon
Holy Days – 12:00 Noon** OR Scheduled Inside Bulletin
Confessions – 5:30 PM Saturday and 10:30 AM Sunday

Mass Schedule at SS Peter and Paul Towanda

Saturday Vigil – 4:00 PM Sunday – 9:00 AM
Monday – No Mass
Tuesday – 6:00 PM
Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday – 8:30 AM
Confessions – 3:45 Saturday AND 7:45-8:15 Wed., Thurs., Fri.
And by Appointment #570-357-1619
Website: sspeterandpaulchurch.net (570-265-2113)

Readings

April 14 – Monday
Holy Week
Isaiah 42:1-7
Gospel-John 12:1-11

April 15 - Tuesday
Holy Week
Isaiah 49:1-6
Gospel- John 13:21-33, 36-38

April 16 -Wednesday
Holy Week
Isaiah 50:4-9a
Gospel-Matthew 26:14-25

April 17 -Thursday
The Chrism Mass
Isaiah 61:1-3a, 6a, 8b-9
Revelation 1:5-8
Gospel-Luke 4:16-21

April 18 - Friday
Good Friday
Isaiah 52:13-53:12
Hebrews 4:14-16;
5:7-9
Passion of the Lord
John 18:1-19:42

April 19 – Saturday
Easter Vigil
Genesis 1:1-2:2
Genesis 22:1-18
Exodus 14:15-15:1
Isaiah 54:5-14

April 20– Sunday
Easter Sunday
Acts of the Apostles 10:34a, 37-43
Colossians 3:1-4
Gospel- John 20:1-9

PARISH BULLETIN CALENDAR

COMING EVENTS, MEETINGS, CATHERINGS, ETC.

EVERY FIRST FRIDAY: ROSARY AT 11:00 AM, ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT AT 11:30, MASS TO END ABORTION AT 12:00 NOON

FIRST FRIDAY & FIRST SATURDAY: MASS AT SS PETER & PAUL AT 8:30 AM

SUNDAY, APRIL 13TH: PALM SUNDAY AT 11:00 AM, PROCESSION FROM THE HALL (WEARING RED ENCOURAGED)

SUNDAY, APRIL 13TH: PENANCE SERVICES AT ST. BASIL'S DUSHORE AT 2:00 PM

TUESDAY, APRIL 15TH: CHRISM MASS – 4:00 PM – ST. PETER'S CATHEDRAL, SCRANTON

HOLY THURSDAY, APRIL 17TH – 6:00 PM – THE MASS OF THE LORD'S SUPPER (WEARING WHITE ENCOURAGED)
7:00 PM – SS PETER & PAUL

GOOD FRIDAY, APRIL 18TH - 3:00 PM- PASSION OF THE LORD (WEARING BLACK OR WHITE ENCOURAGED)

SATURDAY, APRIL 19TH: BLESSING OF BASKETS AT 10:00 AM AT SS PETER & PAUL – GROTTO HALL

SATURDAY, APRIL 19TH EASTER VIGIL MASS – 8:30 PM

SUNDAY, APRIL 20TH: EASTER SUNDAY OF THE RESURRECTION OF THE LORD – 11:00 AM
SS PETER & PAUL AT 9:00 AM

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 23RD: PICNIC MEETING IN HALL AT 5:30 PM

WEDNESDAY, MAY 7TH: JOINT FINANCE & PASTORAL MEETING AT 6:00 PM

SATURDAY, MAY 17TH: THE SACRED HEART OF JESUS "ENTHRONEMENT IN OUR PARISH, HOMES AND HEARTS"
9:00 AM – ST. MARY'S (SEE SCHEDULE ENCLOSED)

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED – Sandra Franser- Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord and let perpetual light shine upon them. May the souls of all the faithful departed through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen.

THOSE ENTRUSTED IN OUR PRAYERS FOR HEALING: Edith Gonzalez, Connor DeCastro, Carol Niewinski, Radlee Hale, Pat Cokely, Jessica Lawrence, Don Palmer, Steve Stoddard, Cindy Pickett, Charlene Smith, Ken Taylor, David Keeler, Elaine Greenlief, Robert Stabinsky, Jacob Hoffmann, Chris, Larry Burke, Tolise Otis, Leona Fitzgerald, William DiMascio, Ben Mueller, Terry Ruhf, James Schnure, Rafael Delgado, Dave Green, Glenn Layaou, Jr., Bob Franko, Richard Bennett, Ginny Amoroso, Chuck Bullock, Joan Abrey, Donna Elchin, Kelly Kulsicavage, Joe Friery, Irene McMahon, Grace George, Marian Miller, Fred Storey, Stephanie McDevitt, Barbara Bodine, Cathy Stienbaugh, Sue Mullen, Robert Gaumer, Silver Dempsey, Jean Caine, James Perella, Paul & Sandra McIntyre, Keensley Middlecamp, Carmel Buneo, Tina Clapper, Mark Borel.

We pray that You restore Your Servant to health again. Above all, grant us the grace to acknowledge Your holy will and know that whatever You do, You do for the love of us. Amen.

Sick, Hospitalized and Homebound, please call the office or notify Father Jose.

Mass Schedule for Week of APRIL 14TH – APRIL 20TH 2025

	INTENTION	OFFERED BY
Wednesday, April 16th	NO MASS	NO MASS
Thursday, April 17 th 6:00 PM	Holy Thursday	Holy Thursday
Good Friday – 3:00 PM	The Passion of the Lord	The Passion of the Lord
Holy Saturday – 8:30 PM	Holy Saturday	Holy Saturday
Easter Sunday – 11:00 AM	The Resurrection of the Lord	The Resurrection of the Lord

MINISTRY
 Lector Schedule
Holy Thurs.- 6:00 PM
 Eva Weaver
Good Friday 3:00 PM
 Connie Whren
 Eva Weaver
Holy Sat. – 8:30 PM
 Bill Prichard
 Scott Latoski
 LouAnn Kilmer
Easter Sun.-11:00 AM
 Justin Keglitsch

SERVERS
 April 17th-6:PM
 Shaffers
 April 18th 3:00 PM
 Michael & Matthew
 April 19th-8:30 PM
 Mike Kilmer
 April 20th-11:00
 Neubers

THE SANCTUARY CANDLE burns in loving memory throughout the month of April 2025 for Douglas and Rita Cogswell and James and Alice Armitage from John & Ellen Armitage. Please keep them in your prayers.

OUR WEEKLY OFFERTORY COLLECTION

WEEKLY Financial Obligations - \$4,000.00

General Collection April 5th & 6th = \$3,018.00

Thank you for your generosity to our Parish!

DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY NOVENA – BEGINS GOOD FRIDAY

Join millions of faithful around the globe in the Divine Mercy Novena beginning on Good Friday. The Chaplet of Divine Mercy is prayed for 9 days, with these intentions in mind: Day 1- all mankind, especially sinners; Day 2- the souls of priests and religious; Day 3- all devout and faithful souls; Day 4- those who do not believe in Jesus or do not know Him yet; Day 5- those who separated themselves from the Church; Day 6- meek and humble souls and souls of children; Day 7- souls who especially venerate and glorify Jesus' mercy; Day 8- souls who are in purgatory; Day 9- souls who have become lukewarm.

Please see today's bulletin for the Divine Mercy Novena pamphlet. Please be sure to add your intentions to those listed in the pamphlet. Be Merciful as your heavenly Father is merciful, and God will surely bestow his mercy upon us.

CHRISTIAN STEWARDSHIP April 5th & 6th

Loose	90.00
Offer Env	2,765.00
Easter	100.00
Dues	63.00

Total Offering to
Parish General Fund

\$3,018.00

Building	225.00
Cemetery	75.00
Total	\$300.00

National Collections

Home Missions	50.00
Care & Ed.	108.00
Rice Bowl	50.00
Holy Land	25.00
Total	\$233.00

TOTAL DEPOSITS

\$3,551.00

CCD PROGRAM – 2024/2025

The Diocese requires two years of religious education before the reception of the Sacraments of First Reconciliation and First Communion, and three years of religious education before the reception of the Sacrament of Confirmation.

If you have any questions about the CCD program, please contact Cathy Hagadorn, DRE at 570-250-2311 or cathyhagadorn@hotmail.com.

2025 ANNUAL PICNIC – SAVE THE DATE OF THE ANNUAL PICNIC ON SUNDAY, JULY 13TH. Our next Picnic Meeting is scheduled for Wednesday, April 23rd at 5:30 PM in the Church Hall. Volunteers are needed!!

PARISH MISSION- SATURDAY, MAY 17, 2025 – THE SACRED HEART OF JESUS “ENTHRONEMENT IN OUR PARISH, HOMES AND HEARTS”

There will be an inspiring event of Catholic Faith that will encourage our parish to bring our homes and families closer to the Sacred Heart of Jesus by participating in a home enthronement.

We invite everyone to come to hear our Guest Speaker, Emily Jamanet, The National Executive Director of The Sacred Heart Enthronement Network from Columbus OH.

There is no cost to the participants, but there will be a free will offering.

Proposed Schedule for the Mission

9:00 AM	Holy Mass
9:30 AM	Registration and coffee
10:00 AM – 11:00 AM	First talk by Emily Jaminet
11:00 AM – 11:30 AM	Rosary – The Angelus
11:30 AM – 12:30 PM	Lunch break
12:30 PM – 1:30 PM	Second talk by Emily Jaminet
1:30 PM	Prayer, Final Blessing and departure

Reserve your spot by contacting Our Lady of Perpetual Help Parish Office at 570-746-1006 olophparish@gmail.com.

Anyone who would like to help with this program may contact Mike Kilmer mkilmer@thekilmergroup.com #570-721-0872.

Feel free to invite others in neighboring Parishes.