



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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God Renews Our World And Our Lives

Spring can be a delight for our senses. We see trees starting to bud, flowers poking their heads out of the ground, and grass turning a lovely shade of green. We hear migrating birds and feel the warm sun on our faces. God's words in Revelation seem especially apt: "Behold, I make all things new." Much as we can behold spring making all things new, when God raised Jesus, freeing our lives from sin and death, we too were made brand new. Let us give thanks to God for continually renewing our world and our lives.

Fifth Sunday of Easter
May 18, 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

Monday – May 19th
Easter Weekday
Acts of the Apostles
14:5-18
Gospel-John 14:21-26

Tuesday – May 20th
Easter Weekday
Acts of the Apostles
14:19-28
Gospel- John 14:27-31a

Wednesday, May 21st
Easter Weekday
Acts of the Apostles
15:1-6
Gospel: John 15:1-8

Thursday, May 22nd
Easter Weekday
Acts of the Apostles
15:7-21
Gospel-John 15:9-11

Friday, May 23rd
Easter Weekday
Acts of the Apostles
15:22-31
John 15:12-17

Saturday, May 24th
Easter Weekday
Acts of the Apostles
16:1-10
Gospel: John 15:18-21

Sunday, May 25th
Sixth Sun. of Easter
Acts of the Apostles
15:1-2, 22-29
Revelation 21:10-14
Gospel-John 14:23-29

PARISH BULLETIN CALENDAR

COMING EVENTS, MEETINGS, CATERINGS, 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

FRIDAY, MAY 23RD: SS PETER & PAUL FUNERAL AT 11:00 AM. MASS FOR POPE LEO XIV AT 6:00 PM TOWANDA

MONDAY, MAY 26TH: MEMORIAL DAY – MASS AT 9:00 AM AT SS PETER & PAUL CEMETERY ON JAMES ST. IF THERE IS INCLEMENT WEATHER, MASS WILL BE HELD AT THE CHURCH.

TUESDAY, MAY 27TH: PICNIC MEETING IN HALL AT 5:30 PM

THURSDAY, MAY 29TH: ASCENSION OF THE LORD – MASS AT 12:00 NOON HOLY DAY OF OBLIGATION
SS PETER & PAUL VIGIL MASS CELEBRATED AT 6:00 PM WED., MAY 28TH & 8:30 AM ON MAY 29TH.

SUNDAY, JULY 13TH: ANNUAL CHURCH PICNIC FROM 11:00 AM – 3:00 PM

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED – Pope Francis - Eternal rest grant unto them, Oh 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: Lou Ann Kilmer, Sarah Burke, Harry Weaver, Patricia Holzschuh, Edith Gonzalez, 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, Leona Fitzgerald, William DiMascio, 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, Tina Clapper,

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.

THE SANCTUARY CANDLE burns in loving memory throughout the month of May 2025 for William Stoddard and Family from Sharon Prevost & Family. Please keep them in your prayers.

PARISH PRAYER LINE & PARISH PRAYER CHAIN are ministries performed by volunteers who pray at home for special intentions requested by parishioners. Requests are confidential; they are relayed to the prayer volunteers by phone, text or by e-mail. Please call or text Marilyn at 570-665-9777 to request prayers for your own special intention. Please call her if you would like to become one of those who pray privately for others; and whether you prefer a text or e-mail.

Mass Schedule for Week of MAY 19TH – MAY 25TH

	INTENTION	OFFERED BY
Wednesday, May 21st	NO MASS	NO MASS
Friday, May 23 RD	ST. MARY'S <u>NO MASS</u>	NO MASS
Friday, May 23 rd SS PETER & PAUL	SS PETER & PAUL ONLY 11:00 AM – FUNERAL 6:00 PM – POPE LEO XIV MASS	SS PETER & PAUL ONLY
Saturday, May 24 th 6:00 PM	Repose of the Soul of Frank Mucha	The Deckers
Sunday, May 25 th 11:00 AM	Repose of the Soul of Violet Barker	Pattie Ambs

OUR WEEKLY OFFERTORY COLLECTION

WEEKLY Financial Obligations - \$4,000.00

General Collection May 10th & 11th = \$2,066.00

Thank you for your generosity to our Parish!

MEMORIAL DAY MASS on Monday, May 26th at SS Peter & Paul Cemetery on James St. at 9:00 AM. If there is inclement weather, Mass will be held at the Church.

ASCENSION OF THE LORD is a HOLY DAY OF OBLIGATION. Mass will be held at ST. Mary's on Thursday, May 29th at 12:00 Noon.

SS Peter & Paul - A Vigil Mass will be celebrated at 6:00 PM on Wed., May 28th and at 8:30 AM May 29th.

St. Joachim's will be holding a roast beef sandwich sale on Saturday, May 31st from 10:00 AM to 5:00 PM at the Church Hall, the Casino. You may order a meal, which includes a sandwich, coleslaw, drink and chips, or a sandwich only. There will also be basket raffles and a gift certificate raffle at this time.

St. Mary's Parishioners are encouraged to donate a basket and attend their event. The support is very much appreciated. The Parishioner's from St. Joachims are very generous in donating to St. Mary's Church and picnic. Thank you too, Ellen & John Armitage for selling raffle tickets at St. Joachims for our picnic.

MINISTRY Lector Schedule

Sat., May 24th
6:00 PM
Scott Latoski

Sun., May 25th
11:00 AM
Connie Whren

SERVERS

Kaitlyn & Piper

CHRISTIAN STEWARDSHIP

May 10 & 11th

Loose 270.00

Envel 1,686.00

Mother's 93.00

Ascension 3.00

Dues 14.00

Total to Parish
General Account

\$2,066.00

Building 28.00

Cemetery 65.00

Total = \$93.00

National Collecti

Care & Ed 18.00

Home Mis 2.00

Total = \$20.00

Total Deposits

\$2,179.00

ANNUAL PICNIC NEWS

St. Mary's Annual Picnic is scheduled for Sunday, July 13th from 11 AM to 3 PM.

The menu consists of sausage with peppers & onions, meatball subs, macaroni salad, chips and the world famous pie!

Games & Face Painting for young & old alike.

CASH RAFFLE – Tickets will not be mailed to Parishioners to sell. You may contact Molly Ross to buy or sell tickets. Tickets will be pre-sold and day of the picnic.

HAPPY WAGON RAFFLE – Tickets are on sale now from Joe Jones or Molly Ross. Tickets will be pre-sold and the day of the picnic.

Please remember we need lots and lots of CHEER for the wagon. Beer, spirits, soda, and snacks make up a Happy Wagon. You may drop off at the Office.

BASKET RAFFLE - Last year there were 61 amazing baskets for the basket raffle. Please consider helping us again this year. Baskets can be dropped off at the office. Also, if you have extra baskets to donate, they can be dropped off at the office as well. Please try to return the baskets by June 22nd to help us to be able to display pictures of the baskets for pre-sale of tickets.

Next picnic meeting is Tuesday, May 27th at 5:30 PM

WEDDING MASS ANNIVERSARY

His Excellency, the Most Reverend Joseph C. Bambera, Bishop of Scranton, invite couples celebrating their 25th or 50th wedding anniversary in 2025 to a Diocesan Wedding Anniversary Mass on Sunday, June 1, 2025. The event includes a 2:30 PM Mass at the Cathedral of Saint Peter followed by a light reception. The registration deadline for this event is May 11th. To register, please go to www.dioceseofscranton.org or contact Bridget Guarnieri at 570-207-2213 x 1133 or familylife@dioceseofscranton.org.

UPDATED MOTHER'S DAY REMEMBRANCES

MAY 2025

IN HONOR OF

Ellen Armitage
Danielle Armitage
Tammy Armitage
Kim Williams
Mikayla Holinej
Kaitlyn Schools
Brandy Robaczewski
Kelly Everhardt
Angle Burke
Sarah Burke
Marilyn Burke
Leona Fitzgerald
Kathy Stoddard
Anastasia Farrell
Jane Frieler
Debbie Perkins
Deborah Keblitsch
Dana Keblitsch
Ann Marie Kusmierz
Missy Kusmierz
Patricia Holzschuh
Amy Ryan
Jane Ryan
Kendra Solowiej
Judy Terasavage
Peggy Loomis
Jennifer Mitchell
Andra Evancavich
Susan Walter

Barb Knapp
Marsha Stoddard
Lindsay Sudell
Amanda Weaver
Janice Weaver
Eva Weaver
Barbara Fenton

*The loveliest
masterpiece of the
heart of God is the
love of a mother
St. Therese of Lisieux*

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MAY 2025

IN MEMORY OF:

Alice Armitage
Rita Cogswell
Maria C., Mother
Dorothy Stoddard
Jean Burke
Blanche Finan
Gertude Stoddard
Helen Burke
Irene Smurkowski
Mary Crawford
Katherine Saring
Stella Razzi
Doris Kunkle
Vay Farrell
Jo Ann Webb
Ruthie Bedard
Rosario Alpizar
Patricia A. Gushka
Irene B. Gushka
Virgina Duffy
Rose Hatton
Esther Yeager
Helen Catherman
Mary Jones
Cassie Yanuicz
Lena Jones
Marlene Colegrove
Ruth Thomas
Icy Hickman
Eleanor Berbec Burns
Suzanne Burns Brown

Catherine D Bride
Mary Bride
Mary Zdancewicz
Lena Kokal
Nancy Raffin
Viola Brink
Helen Terascavage
Catherine Juenger
Bernice Weaver
Betty Beyer

Dorothy Ferretti
Anna Kusmierz
Mary Herman
Mary Milewski
Rose Marie Belcher
Anna Kusmiss
Helen Perella
Margaret Bucci Perella
Bernadine Latoski
Josephine Pitcavage
Helen Ahern
Margaret Pickett
Mae Otis
Anna Burke
Agnes Repsher
Isabelle R Loftus
Geraldine Ciprich
Jenella Ryan
Eleanor Adele Smith
Helen Terascavage
Darleen Stoddard
Helen Suszko
Catheryn Randall
Annie Bagdon
Margaret Wyotowich
Emily Stabinsky
Lillian Whren
Shirley Force
Margaret Bodnar
Marion Wygrala
Ruth Kitner

Mother's Day 2025
With Father Jose.

