

St. Mary of the Assumption Catholic Church Wyalusing

# Our Lady of

# Perpetual Help Parish

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.

<u>PASTOR</u> Rev. Jos<u>e</u> Joseph

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# We Are People In Need

We each stand before God as someone in need. No matter how well off we are, how healthy we are, or how satisfied we are with our lives; we are all in need of God's saving mercy. If we look at ourselves honestly, we see that we are far from perfect, that we in fact, are sinful and always in need of forgiveness. May we, like the tax collector in today's Gospel, be aware of our neediness so that no matter our situation in life we too may humbly pray, "O God, be merciful to me a sinner."

Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time October 26, 2025

Mass Schedule at Our Lady of Perpetual Help, WyalusingSaturday Vigil – 6:00 PMSunday – 11:00 AMHoly 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 - 8:30 AM

Friday - 8:30 AM - School

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 - Oct. 27th Romans 8:12-17 Gospel Luke 13:10-17

Tuesday - Oct. 28<sup>th</sup> SS Simon & Jude Ephesians 2:19-22 Gospel Luke 6:12-16

Wed., Oct. 29th Romans 8:26-30 Gospel Luke 13:22-

Thursday, Oct. 30th Romans 8:31b-39 Gospel Luke 13:31-

Friday, Oct. 31st Romans 9:1-5 Gospel Luke 14:1-6

Saturday, Nov. 1st Rev. 7:2-4, 9-14 1 John 3:1-3 Gospel Matt 5:1-12a

Sunday, Nov. 2nd Wisdom 3:1-9 Romans 6:3-9 Gospel John 6:37-40

#### **PARISH CALENDAR**

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, NOVEMBER  $2^{ND}$  – HOLIDAY BAZAAR IN THE HALL FROM 10 AM – 3 PM

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 5<sup>TH</sup> – PASTORIAL COUNCIL MEETING IN OFFICE AT 12:30 PM AFTER MASS

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 9TH – FATHER JOSE PULL WINNING RAFFLE TICKETS AFTER MASS

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 12<sup>TH</sup> – FINANCE COUNCIL MEETING AT 6:00 PM AFTER 5:30 MASS

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 13<sup>TH</sup> – RED CROSS BLOOD DRIVE IN HALL FROM 1:00 – 6:00 PM

THERE WILL NOT BE MASS at St. Peter & Paul or St. Mary's next week Monday through Thursday. There will be Mass on Friday at both Churches.

<u>PLEASE PRAY FOR THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED</u> - 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:

Bill Walter, Gary Dunn, Leona Fitzgerald, Monsignor Bob Wargo, Larry Burke, Dan Murphy, Glenn Layaou, Jr., Jeanette Dietz, Pastor Joe Kilmer, David Steinbacher, Jack & Joyce Walsh, Josephine Rayappan

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.

THE SANCTUARY CANDLE burns in loving memory throughout the month of October 2025 for Ted Solowiej, Husband and Mike Solowiej, Ted's Brother, from Josephine Solowiej. Please keep Ted and Mike and their Family in your prayers.

#### Mass Schedule for Week of OCT. 27<sup>TH</sup> - NOV. 2<sup>ND</sup> INTENTION OFFERED BY Wednesday, Oct. 29<sup>TH</sup> NO MASS NO MASS NO MASS Friday, Oct. 31ST Repose of the Soul of Dennis Frost 12:00 Noon Joan Ross Saturday, Nov. 1st ALL SAINTS 6:00 PM ALL SOULS' DAY Sunday, Nov. 2nd 11:00 AM

# **OUR WEEKLY OFFERTORY COLLECTION**

WEEKLY Financial Obligations - \$4,000.00

General Collection Oct 18<sup>th</sup> & 19<sup>th</sup> = \$2,494.00

Thank you for your generosity!

#### **CCD Program**

The 2025/2026 CCD Program is on Sunday's from 9:45 – 10:45 AM in the Hall. If you have any questions, you may contact Cathy Hagadorn, Director of Religious Education, at 570-250-2311. 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.

<u>POPE LEO XIV</u> Prayer Intention for October 2025 is for "collaboration between different religious traditions." Let us pray that believers in different religious traditions might work together to defend and promote peace, justice, and human fraternity.

# MINISTRY

Lector Schedule

Sat., Nov. 1st 6:00 PM Scott Latoski

Sun., Nov. 2<sup>nd</sup> 11:00 AM Gene & Alice

# <u>SERVERS</u>

Michael & Matthew

CHRISTIAN STEWARDSHIP

Oct.18 & 19th

Loose- 201.

Env.- 2,168.

Dues - 11.

All Saints 2.

All Souls 112.

Total- \$2,494.

National Coll

Priests 20.

Mission 414.

Total - 434.

Building- 85.

Cemetery-

Total- \$85.

<u>Total Deposits</u> \$3,013.00

#### **HOLIDAY BAZAAR**

The Holiday Bazaar will be held on Sunday, November  $2^{nd}$  from 10 AM -3 PM in the Hall. There will be crafts, baked goods, and more for purchase. Lunch is available, along with raffles of a Christmas lottery tree and food basket. Come enjoy the fellowship and fun!

We are accepting donations for any blankets, sheets, comforters, curtains, large swaths of material, etc. that can be used for the Ugly Quilts project that benefits the homeless and needy. Items can be placed in the back of the Church or brought to the office.

THE DIOCESAN ANNUAL APPEAL - The Catholic Ministries Appeal is ongoing. We thank those of you who have already contributed for your generous donation. The amount raised to date is \$2,810 and is 14% of the goal. We want to remind others that it is not too late to send in your envelope. Please remember, if we go over our goal, our parish receives back a percentage of those dollars.

If you did not receive a donation envelope in the mail, you can find envelopes at each entrance of the Church.

#### Faith and Family Night with the WBS Penguins!!

Join us for a night of thrilling hockey and heartfelt performances at *Faith and Family Night!* Friday, November 14<sup>th</sup>, 2025, come out with the Diocese of Scranton to cheer on the Penguins as they take on the Islanders, and enjoy an evening filled with music, dance, and family fun! This night is open to people of all ages, so bring your family, friends and neighbors as we come together as a diocesan family. Gates Open at 6:00pm, Puck drops at 7:05pm.

To purchase discounted tickets visit <u>www.dioceseofscranton.org</u> or go to <u>https://www.gofevo.com/event/Diocesescranton3.</u>

Date: Friday, November 14th, 2025

Time: Gates open at 6:00PM; Puck Drops at 7:05PM Location: Mohegan Sun Arena at Casey Plaza

Cost: There are two Pricing Options:

Green Zone (\$25+fees) or Blue Zone (\$23+fees).



Thirty-One Gifts

Handmade Cards

Fudge

Christmas Items

Home Decor

**Baked Goods** 

Doll Clothes

**Crocheted Items** 

100% Pure Maple Products

Basket Raffle

Papparazi

Lunch Available