

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.

**PASTOR** Rev. Jose Joseph Kuriappilly

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## Lord, Increase Our Faith

Each week we gather here as a family of faith, expressing our faith and deepening our faith as we celebrate the Eucharist together. Yet, we may still feel that our faith is weak, especially if we compare ourselves to others we know. But do you know what? So did the twelve apostles. Today we hear them ask the Lord to increase their faith. May his response hearten us, his present-day disciples, as we struggle with our own faith.

Twenty-Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time October 5, 2025 Respect Life Sunday

Mass Schedule at Our Lady of Perpetual Help, Wyalusing Saturday Vigil – 6:00 PM Sunday - 11:00 AM 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)

FATHER JOSE WILL BE ON VACATION FROM SEPTEMBER 15<sup>TH</sup> THRU OCTOBER 10<sup>TH</sup>.

## Readings

Monday - Ocr. 6th Jonah 1:1-2:2, 11 Gospel Luke 10:25-37

Tuesday - Oct. 7th Our Lady of the Rosary Jonah 3:1-10 Gospel Luke 10:38-

Wednesday, Oct. 8th Jonah 4:1-11 Gospel Luke 11:1-4

Thursday, Oct. 9<sup>th</sup> Malachi 3:13-20b Gospel Lue 11:5-13

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Friday, Oct. 10th Joel 1:13-15; 2:1-2 Gospel Luke 11:15-

Saturday, Oct. 11th Joel 4:12-21 Gospel Luke 11:27-

Sunday, Oct. 12th 2 Kings 5:14-17 2 Timothy 2:8-13 Gospel Luke 17:11-

## **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, OCTOBER 5<sup>TH</sup> LIFE CHAIN IN FRONT OF ST. MARY'S FROM 2:00 – 3:00 PM

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 11<sup>TH</sup> ROSARY RALLY – SUNDAY, OCTOBER 11<sup>TH</sup> – FRONT OF ST MARY'S CHURCH AT 12:00 NOON

MONDAY, OCTOBER 20<sup>TH</sup> HOLIDAY BAZAAR MEETING ON MON., OCT. 20<sup>TH</sup> AT 5:30 PM

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

<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:

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.

<u>LIFE CHAIN</u> will be held in front of St. Mary's on October  $5^{th}$  from 2:00 – 3:00 PM. Stand with thousands of pro-lifers throughout the USA with prayer to put an end to abortion.

Mass Schedule for Week of OCT. 5 <sup>TH</sup> - OCT. 12 <sup>TH</sup>		
	INTENTION	OFFERED BY
Saturday, Oct. 11 <sup>TH</sup> 6:00 PM	Repose of the Souls of Norman & Doris Kunkle	The Family
Sunday, Oct. 12th 11:00 AM	Repose of the Souls of Rose & Joseph Polomski	The Family

## MINISTRY

Lector Schedule

Sat., Oct. 11th 6:00 PM Lou Ann Kilmer

Sun., Oct. 12th 11:00 AM Jeff Homer

## **SERVERS**

Kaitlyn & Piper

## **OUR WEEKLY OFFERTORY COLLECTION**

WEEKLY Financial Obligations - \$4,000.00

General Collection Sept. 20 & 21 = \$1,461.00

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.

#### **PUBLIC ROSARY RALLY**

Please join us for a public rosary rally taking place at 12:00 Noon, Saturday, Oct. 11<sup>th</sup> in front of St. Mary's and pray for the repentance and conversion of our great nation, asking God to save America through the rosary of His Most Holy Mother. RSVP by emailing Mike Kilmer at <a href="mailto:mkilmer@thekilmergroup.com">mkilmer@thekilmergroup.com</a> or calling/texting 570-721-0872.

POPE LEO XIV asks everyone to pray the Rosary each day in October for peace.

#### HOLIDAY BAZAAR

The Holiday Bazaar will be held on Sunday, November 2<sup>nd</sup> from 10 AM – 3 PM in the hall. There will be items for purchase, delicious food, and a raffle lottery tree and food basket. Please contact Melissa Kusmierz at 570-250-0903 if you are interested in setting up a table for sale items. We are also looking for cake bakers If you can donate a cake for the bazaar. Please call Karen Ross at 570-627-6020. Lottery tickets and food items can be dropped off at the office. Thank you for your support.

CHRISTIAN STEWARDSHIP

Sept. 27, 28

Loose- 222.

Env.- 1,220.

Dues - 4.

Rel. Ed. - 15.

Total- \$1,461.

National Coll

Care & Ed-

Total -

Building- 60.

Cemetery- 10.

Total- \$70.

Total Deposits

\$1,531.00

<u>UGLY QUILTS is</u> starting back up on Monday, Oct. 6<sup>th</sup>. Any blankets, sheets, comforters, curtains, large swaths of material, etc. can be used. Items can be placed in the back of the Church or brought to the office.

THE DIOCESAN ANNUAL APPEAL This year, the Diocese is emphasizing its many and various important Ministries throughout the whole Diocese, and calling it "The Annual Appeal for the Ministries of the Diocese."

Our parish goal this year is \$19,874 and thus far \$1,205 has been donated. Please consider your best gift to support our Catholic Schools, Vocations (Seminarians, Priests, Deacons, Retired Priests); Catholic Social Services, Child Protection, Parish Life Programs; and Catholic Communication through various media.

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





