

MINISTRIES SCHEDULE

January 14th and 15th

LECTORS

SA 5:30 PM Ted Ligenza
IC 8:00 AM Boyd Young
SA 9:30 AM Connie Young

January

Month of the Holy Name of Jesus

MASS INTENTIONS

Monday 1/9/23	8:30 AM SA	Pat Pajak by Leo & Bea Philippe
Tuesday 1/10/23	8:30 AM IC	Frank and Hazel Miller by Jeanne
Wednesday 1/11/23	8:30 AM SA	Betty Heckel by Alpine Star Lodge
Thursday 1/12/23	8:30 AM IC	Regis Zezulewicz by Nancy Santer
Friday 1/13/23	8:30 AM SA	Anna Elizabeth Bullock
Saturday 1/14/23	5:30 PM SA	Matthew Miller by the Fedele Sisters
Sunday 1/15/23	8:00 AM IC	People of the Parish
	9:30 AM SA	Craig Carty by Alice Wilder-Lauff

HOLY SPIRIT PARISH EVENTS

MONDAY, 1/9/23

CGS Level 1 – Atrium – 10 AM
 Lambs – PC – 1 PM
 SA Choir – PC – 4:30 PM

TUESDAY, 1/10/23

WEDNESDAY, 1/11/23

THURSDAY, 1/12/23

FRIDAY, 1/13/23

SATURDAY, 1/14/23

SUNDAY, 1/15/23

IC Choir – IC Church Basement – 7:30 AM

The least power of love
 is greater than
 the greatest power
 of destruction.
 Pope Benedict XVI

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Holy Spirit Parish

The Epiphany of the Lord – January 8, 2023



Immaculate Conception Church

310 West Water Street
Lock Haven, PA 17745



Saint Agnes Church

3 East Walnut Street
Lock Haven, PA 17745

Parish Office Hours

Monday – Friday 9:00 AM to 12:00 PM

By appointment after 12 Noon

Appointments with Father Orr – Call the Office

Main Office: 570-748-4594 Fax: 570-796-2642

Website: holyspiritlockhaven.org

Weekday Mass Schedule:

Monday, Wednesday, and Friday

8:30 AM – St. Agnes Church

Tuesday and Thursday

8:30 AM – Immaculate Conception Church
or as announced

(the Rosary is recited after every weekday Mass)

Holy Days of Obligation

Check back for updated Mass times

Weekend Mass Schedule:

Saturday, 5:00 PM – St. Agnes Church

Sunday, 8:00 AM – Immaculate Conception Church

Sunday, 9:30 AM – St. Agnes Church

Sunday, 12:00 Noon – St. Joseph Church, Renovo

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturdays

11:00 AM – Immaculate Conception Church

4:00 PM – St. Agnes Church
or anytime upon request

FEAST OF THE EPIPHANY

The feast of the Epiphany of Our Lord recalls when Jesus Christ was revealed as the Messiah. The readings tell of the revelation of Jesus Christ to all people. The first reading tells of a light in Jerusalem which all nations are drawn to. The psalm foretells kings bringing gifts. The second reading explains how God's grace is now known to all generations and the whole world. The gospel recalls how the Magi came from afar to worship the child Jesus. It also recounts Herod's jealousy and treachery.



A discussion of what gifts we could bring to the service of the Lord is appropriate. Also, the international aspect of the three Kings speaks to our common humanity and issues such as racism and immigration.

Matthew shows us Jesus as a baby, weak and vulnerable. This is in contrast to the powerful Herod, who is so insecure at the news of a rival king that he orders every male child murdered. Even as an infant, Jesus shows us that political power will be at odds with the Kingdom of God.

Ask Yourself:

How do I respond to clashes between faith and power?

Do I really believe everyone throughout the world can be a part of the Kingdom of God?

Baptism of the Lord

The Baptism of the Lord is celebrated on the Sunday after January 6. When the Feast of the Epiphany falls on Sunday January 7 or Sunday January 8, then the Baptism of the Lord is observed on Monday instead.



The Baptism of the Lord marks the end of the Christmas season. It may seem odd to celebrate an event during Jesus' adult life during the same season of His birth, but it is quite fitting. Both Jesus' birth and His baptism show us His humanity. Jesus became human like us at His Nativity and continued to show us His human side during His baptism in the Jordan River. Jesus wishes to be like us in all things except sin.

Church UN-Decorating

The Christmas season ends with the Baptism of the Lord. The churches will be undecorating at IC on Sunday, January 8th, after the 8:00 AM Mass, and at St. Agnes on Monday, January 9th, the Feast of the Lord's Baptism, after the 8:30 AM daily Mass. If you are available, your help will be greatly appreciated.

Remember in Your Prayers

Please remember in your prayers the family of **Joseph L. (Popcorn) Sanders, Jr.** May they be assured of the parish's thoughts and prayers during this most difficult time.

Pope Emeritus Benedict XVI

The Mass on Sunday, February 5th at 9:30 will be offered for the repose of the soul of Pope Emeritus Benedict XVI. Please mark your calendar and plan on joining us for this special Mass.

Pope Benedict, the 264th successor to St. Peter, led the Catholic Church for eight years, from April 9, 2005, until his resignation on February 28, 2013. He was the first pope to resign the papacy in almost 600 years. The former Joseph Ratzinger, he was ordained a priest in his native Bavaria in 1951. He participated in the 2nd Vatican Council as a theological advisor. He was named to the College of Cardinals in 1977 and elected dean of Cardinals in 2005. As pope, he visited the United States just once, in 2005

Just For CHUCKLES

**Age doesn't matter...
unless you are cheese
or a bottle of fine wine.**



WOMEN ONLY!

An invitation to pursue holiness through growing in virtue and your own feminine genius!

There is interest in a women's Magnify 90 prayer group meeting at Immaculate Conception Church. It will run from January 9th until Easter. Please, contact Lisa if you're interested, 304-709-4419. If you have a friend with which you wish to share this experience, invite them to join with you.

Magnify 90 is a feminine spirituality journey that relies on our commitment to striving daily to empty ourselves of worldly desires, so that the joy of God's life within our souls fills us to the point of agape love for others.

Check out the website at www.mag90.com

Santa's **PTO** Leftovers Bingo

Sunday, January 29th

Red Eye Center in Flemington

Doors open at 11:00; Bingo starts at 1:00

Tickets are \$25 in advance, \$30 at the door

Sponsored by LHCS PTO



Fun for the whole family includes 15 regular games plus 5 specials, Chinese auction, raffles, door prizes, and 50/50 raffle. There will also be food available.

Get your tickets now by contacting Misty Myers, 570-506-6524 or mistyann1974@yahoo.com

Neil Walker Ta/ks



Pittsburgh Pirates great Neil Walker will be visiting Holy Name Parish, Ebensburg, on Saturday, February 4, 2023, from 12:00 PM-2:00 PM. He will be giving a talk about his Catholic faith and will be available for a meet and greet. There is no registration or tickets to be purchased. No cost to attend but donations will be taken to help support Holy Name School. All are welcome to attend. Pray for good weather.

The Holy Family



As the mother and foster-father of Jesus, Mary and Joseph provided a safe and secure earthly home for Jesus. As with all families, the Holy Family endured its share of struggles and challenges as they raised Jesus to adulthood. The ultimate heartbreak for Mary occurred as she stood helpless at the cross watching her only son take his last breath on earth.

What sustained the Holy Family was their deep and abiding trust and belief in God, even in the most difficult of circumstances. We can take great solace and comfort through prayer to the Holy Family as we face the challenges of our own lives. The late Father Theodore Hesburgh, one time president of Notre Dame University, began every day with this simple prayer, "Jesus, Mary, and Joseph, please guide me today."

Point To Ponder

"To be without some of the things you want is an indispensable part of happiness."

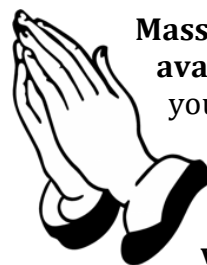
Bertrand Russell (1872-1970), British Philosopher and Mathematician

Sanctuary Candles

The sanctuary candle for the first two weeks of January at St. Agnes Church is burning in memory of **Helen Stehman** by her Loving Family.

The sanctuary candle for the first two weeks of January at Immaculate Conception Church is burning in memory of **Manuel Andrus** by the Family.

Intention Dates Available



Mass and candle intention dates are available for 2023. Masses are said for your intentions. The candles burn for two weeks in honor or memory of your loved ones.

Call the parish office to schedule your dates.