

## MINISTRIES SCHEDULE

April 15<sup>th</sup> and 16<sup>th</sup>

### LECTORS

<b>SA</b>	<b>5:00 PM</b>	Randy Fisher
<b>IC</b>	<b>8:00 AM</b>	Mike Hanna
<b>SA</b>	<b>9:30 AM</b>	Teri Bucks

### ALTAR SERVERS

<b>SA</b>	<b>5:00 PM</b>	
<b>IC</b>	<b>8:00 AM</b>	Savannah, Xavier, and Ana Persun
<b>SA</b>	<b>9:30 AM</b>	William Leisner

### MASS INTENTIONS

Monday 4/10/23	8:30 AM <b>SA</b>	<b>Jeremiah R. Lovette</b> by Family
Tuesday 4/11/23	8:30 AM <b>IC</b>	<b>Royce P. Miller, Sr.</b> by Family
Wednesday 4/12/23	8:30 AM <b>SA</b>	<b>Valentine Sohmer</b> by Sohmer Family
Thursday 4/13/23	8:30 AM <b>IC</b>	<b>Hayes and Kies Families</b> <b>Living and Deceased</b>
Friday 4/14/23	8:30 AM <b>SA</b>	<b>Ethel Helgerman</b> by Leo and Bea Philippe
Saturday 4/15/23	5:00 PM <b>SA</b>	<b>Yvonne Dumm</b> by Dave and Family
Sunday 4/16/23	8:00 AM <b>IC</b>	<b>Albert Nacinovich</b> by Jeffrey and Jane Dent
	9:30 AM <b>SA</b>	<b>People of the Parish</b>

## HOLY SPIRIT PARISH EVENTS

### MONDAY, 4/10/23

Office Closed  
Lambs – PC – 1 PM  
NO SA Choir Practice  
Parish Council – PC – 5:30 PM

### TUESDAY, 4/11/23

### WEDNESDAY, 4/12/23

### THURSDAY, 4/13/23

Adoration – IC – 9-10 AM  
The Search – PC – 6:30 PM

### FRIDAY, 4/14/23

### SATURDAY, 4/15/23

Eucharistic Miracles Exhibit – LHCS Gym – 9-4:30

### SUNDAY, 4/16/23

IC Choir – IC Church Basement – 7:30 AM  
Religious Ed. – PC – 10:30-12:00  
Eucharistic Miracles Exhibit – LHCS Gym – 9-3  
Divine Mercy Chaplet/Adoration – IC – 3 PM



## HOLY SPIRIT PARISH STAFF

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# Holy Spirit Parish

**Easter Sunday – The Resurrection of the Lord – April 9, 2023**  
***Month of the Blessed Sacrament***



## **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](http://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



Father Orr, Deacon Chip, Deacon Phil,  
and the Holy Spirit Parish Staff  
would like to wish our parishioners  
a Blessed and Joyous Easter!

## Rejoice *and* Be Glad

The readings for the Easter Vigil and Easter Sunday remind us of God's goodness, power, and saving work throughout history. In the Epistle reading, St. Paul exhorts us to die to sin and live for God, emphasizing the importance of baptism and faith in Jesus. And in the Gospel reading, we hear the amazing news of Jesus' Resurrection, which brings hope and new life to all who believe.

This message of hope is especially important in our world today, where there is so much suffering, pain, and despair. We are all touched by the effects of sin and death, whether in our own lives or in the lives of those around us. But the Resurrection of Jesus offers us a way out of this darkness. It reminds us that death is not the final word, and that God never abandons us, even in our darkest moments.

As we celebrate Easter, we are called to let go of sin and selfishness, and to embrace the new life and hope that Jesus offers. We are called to let Easter change our hearts and transform our lives, so that we may become more fully the people that God created us to be. We are called to be bearers of hope and agents of new life, bringing the light of Christ to a world that is so often shrouded in darkness.

So let us rejoice and be glad this Easter, as we celebrate the triumph of Jesus over sin and death. Let us give thanks to God for the gift of new life, and let us renew our commitment to follow Jesus, the risen Lord, wherever he may lead us. May the hope and joy of Easter fill our hearts and our lives, now and always.

## Remember in Your Prayers

Please remember in your prayers the family of **Robert E. "Butch" Rooney**. May it comfort them to know the parish is thinking of them during this difficult time.

Please keep the family of **Shawn D. Miller** in your prayers. May they be assured of our parish's deepest sympathy and condolences at this sad time.

## Divine Mercy Sunday

Next Sunday is Divine Mercy Sunday, celebrated on the Second Sunday of Easter, concluding the Octave of Easter. It is originally based on the devotion to the Divine Mercy that St. Faustina Kowalska reported as part of her encounter with Jesus and is associated with special promises from Jesus.

## Pray the Chaplet of Divine Mercy

Please plan to come and pray the **Chaplet of Divine Mercy, next Sunday, April 16<sup>th</sup>, 3:00PM, at IC Church**. Everyone is invited to participate in the veneration of the Divine Mercy image, a portrait of Jesus as Merciful Savior.

## The Eucharistic Miracles of the World

During the weekend of April 14-16, LHCS is hosting an exhibit on Eucharistic Miracles around the world. St. Carlo Acutis, patron saint of the internet, at a very young age thought the world should learn about the true presence of Christ in the Eucharist. He created a website that told the stories of several places in the world where a miracle surrounded the Eucharist. The display contains 175 panels of information.

You can see a detailed list of what is included here:

[www.miracolieucaristici.org/en/liste/list.html](http://www.miracolieucaristici.org/en/liste/list.html)

**LHCS is displaying this exhibit to the public on Saturday, April 15<sup>th</sup> from 9:00 AM – 4:30 PM and Sunday, April 16<sup>th</sup> from 8:30 AM – 3:00 PM in the school gymnasium. The Sunday session will be followed by reciting the Divine Mercy Chaplet and an hour of adoration at IC Church.**

## Bus Trip - **Moses**

St. John's, Bellefonte, is planning a bus trip to the SIGHT AND SOUND THEATRE in Lancaster to see the new production 'Moses' on Tuesday, May 16<sup>th</sup>, for the 11:00 AM showing. Travel will be by Fullington Trailways. We are planning to stop for lunch at Cracker Barrel after the show. The bus will be boarding in front of the church at 6:30AM. Cost is \$130.00 per person which includes show ticket and transportation. All reservations and money must be received in the parish office by April 13. Please note—no reservations will be accepted without payment. Space is limited. If you have any question, please contact the parish office at (814) 355-3134.

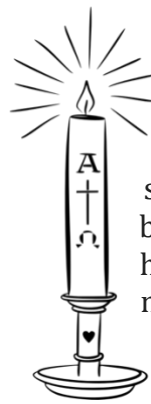
## Cemetery Regulations Part 4

To avoid misunderstandings, it has been suggested that we publish the regulations governing our cemeteries. This is the fourth part:

### MEMORIALS

1. *This is a Catholic cemetery. To keep its distinctly religious nature, only Christian symbols are permitted on the memorials.*
2. *Scenes depicting a decedent's occupation, hobbies, interests, fraternal associations, and so on, are not appropriate.*
3. *The depiction of animals as found in Sacred Scripture is appropriate if the scripture verse is used with it to show that it is of a religious nature.*
4. *A marker may be placed at the foot of the grave for military, fire, medical, or Catholic organizations only.*
5. *One line of script may be placed under the deceased's name on the headstone in recognition of public service.*
6. *All memorials [markers and headstones] must be approved in advance by the parish office. Requests for approval are to be presented with the standard parish form including specifications, inscriptions, and detailed diagrams.*
7. *All memorials are to be finished in accordance with trade standards and good craftsmanship. They must be in proportion to the size of the lot. Their foundations must be installed by qualified bonded contractors under the supervision of cemetery personnel as directed by Holy Spirit Parish.*
8. *Memorials that have been placed without permission or which fail to conform to the specifications as approved will be removed by the dealer, otherwise the Holy Spirit Parish reserves the right to remove it at the expense of the dealer.*
9. *Monument dealers and outside contractors are considered independent contractors and are to be bonded for work in the cemetery. Holy Spirit Parish is not responsible for defects in memorials or foundations caused by the monument dealer.*
10. *Holy Spirit Parish is not liable for damages arising from vandalism, natural disasters, public unrest, or any cause beyond the reasonable control of management.*

For copies of the complete regulations, please contact the parish office.



## The Paschal Candle

The Paschal or Easter Candle represents Christ, the Light of the World. The pure beeswax of the candle represents the sinless Christ formed in the womb of his blessed mother Mary. The wick signifies the humanity of Jesus and the flame, his divine nature, both body and soul. The Easter Candle is lighted each day during Mass throughout the Easter season until Ascension Thursday.

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## Sanctuary Candles

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



We served **272** meals at the sixth, and final, fish fry! **Thank you** to all the committee members, kitchen volunteers, runners,

cooks, bakers, and behind the scene workers for making this year's Fish Fries such a huge success! **Thank you also** to our parishioners, patrons, and friends for your support in making this a great event for our parish and community. **Special thanks** to the Knights of Columbus for all of their hard work before, during, and cleaning up after the meals.

HAPPY  WEDDING  
anniversary

Congratulations to **Jim and Rita Stabley** who will be celebrating **70** years of marriage on April 11<sup>th</sup>. If you'd like to send a personal wish, their address is 2027 Hobson St., Mill Hall, PA 17751.