

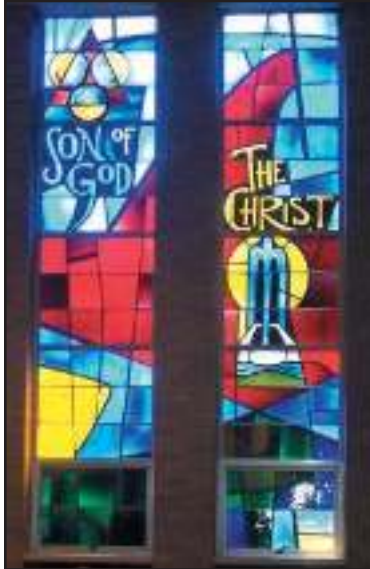
Divine Mercy Sunday



April 7, 2024

HOLY NAME PARISH

A Roman Catholic Faith Service Community



323 Dickinson Street
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SACRAMENTS AT HOLY NAME

Sunday Masses

Saturday 4:30 pm
Sunday 8:30 am
10:30 am (Family Mass)
12:30 pm (Spanish Mass)

Daily Mass: 8:15 am
Saturday 8:15 am Miraculous Medal
Novena Mass

Holy Day Masses: 8:15 am & 5:30 pm English
7:00 pm Spanish

Anyone age 7 or older who has not received First Holy Communion is asked to register for preparation by calling the Religious Education Office at 413-733-5823

Sacrament of Baptism

Please call 733-5823 for contact name and phone number.

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Tuesdays, 1:00-5:00 pm

Sacrament of Confirmation

Celebrated in 9th grade as part of our Religious Education program. Adult classes are also available. Contact Religious Education office at 413-733-5823

Confession

Saturdays 3:30pm - 4:15 pm and by appointment

Sacrament of the Sick

Please contact the Parish Office for those who may need to be anointed.

Sacrament of Marriage

Please make arrangements at least 6 months in advance.

Vocations to the Priesthood

If you are exploring a vocation to priesthood or religious life you are invited to contact Fr. Jonathan Reardon 413-248-7034.

We Welcome New Parishioners!!

Interested in joining our parish community? New parishioners are most welcome. There are welcome cards by the parking lot exit door or obtain one from the priest. Just fill one out and a new parishioner packet will be sent to you. For more information call 733-5823.

Parish Mission Statement:

"We at Holy Name Parish, through the empowering spirit of Jesus Christ, strive to build a faith-filled community through prayer, action, and outreach to all."

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Saturday, April 6

4:30 Jena Truoiolo

By Umberto and Carla Truoiolo

Sunday, April 7

8:30 Intentions of Jerop Otieno-Cheshire and Mrs. Rosemary Chesire for their Birthdays

By Francisca Wamalwa

10:30 Jeraldo Vega (Special Intention)

By his Daughter

12:30 Viviane Hernandez and Edilia Adames

By niece Jenny and Family

Monday, April 8

8:15 Robin

By a Friend

Tuesday, April 9

8:15 Intentions of Alice Ford on Her 95th Birthday

By Edie Ferrero

Wednesday, April 10

8:15 Francis Burke

By Tom Burke

Thursday, April 11

8:15 Deceased Members of the Nguyen and Tran Families

By the Families

Friday, April 12

8:15 All Souls

By Lien Nguyen

Saturday, April 13

8:15 Ann M. O'Brien

By the Family

4:30 Deceased Members of the Carney Family

By the Family

Sunday, April 14

8:30 Robert Triggs (Birthday Remembrance)

By the Family

10:30 Al Plass (Birthday Remembrance)

By Deborah Lantaigne

12:30 Santo Tavez and Rosenda Salcedo

By the Family

WORSHIP

Message of the Week



From Your Parish Administrator

In today's Gospel we are treated to a favorite Easter story. Thomas Didymus is not with the community; perhaps he is out eating almonds. Jesus enters into their place of hiding and fear. He offers them peace. They expect to be shamed and scolded for having abandoned Jesus. Instead of calling to mind their having pained and abandoned Him, He shows them His wounds and offers them peace once more.

Thomas comes back to the group and cannot believe; he wants proof. How comforting to us is that? So Jesus offers him proof, and then offers all future believers hope and faith. Blest are those who have not seen and have believed.

This Easter season invites us to bear witness to the resurrection of the Lord Jesus and to receive his Divine Mercy during this threshold time. As we bear witness in our own way, may Jesus' peace be with us.

*Thank you, Thank you, Thank You for a Truly Blessed
and Beautiful Triduum and*



Our heartfelt thanks go out to the many parishioner volunteers and staff who worked together to provide a very nice Holy Week and Easter Sunday. We appreciate and immensely thank all those who helped with decorating, planning, producing, participating, practicing, and doing everything that was needed to culminate in such a special week for our Parish! There are so many to thank, and we don't want to leave anyone out, so please accept our general thank you. We couldn't have done it without all of you. You are vital to Holy Name Parish now and going forward, and we can't thank you enough for your time, your talent and the treasure of you!!

Second Sunday of Easter (Sunday of Divine Mercy) -- April 7, 2024 - *Uplift your Priest starts April 8th*

"As the Father has sent Me, so I send you." Let us affirm our priests and help carry out Christ's mission of spreading love and compassion in the world. Maybe God is also calling you to share in His saving mission as a priest. Talk to your priest or reach out to the Vocation Office at 413-248-7034 or via email: vocations@diospringfield.org.

New Dates and Day for Bible Study

Beginning this month and going forward, **Bible Study** will be held on the second Wednesday of the month at **10a.m.** and again at **6p.m.** in the church cry room. All are welcome.

Eucharistic Adoration: Tuesdays, 1-5p.m., Chaplet prayed at 3p.m., Rosary at 4:30p.m. followed by Benediction. Thank you for your kindness in making sure there is always someone here in church during Adoration time.

An FYI, when trying to reach a priest in an *emergency situation* to administer the **Sacrament of the Sick** for someone in the hospital – if a parish priest isn't immediately available and time is critical, there should be a Chaplain available 24/7 at each of the area hospitals.

SAFETY TIP FOR PARISHIONERS

If you are approached either in church or out in the parking for money, please do not comply. We do not want to encourage this practice, and want to do our best to keep our parishioners and Mass attendees safe and free from solicitations. If this happens to you, please call the rectory to report it (we will ask where, what time, general description of the person) and we will take the steps necessary to hopefully discourage this from happening again.

A Note About Lost and Found

Our **Lost and Found** pile is overflowing, so it is time to clear it out. If you are missing anything, please take a moment to go through the items this weekend or next weekend. After next weekend items will be removed to make room for any new items potentially being added. Thanks!



Are you registered as a parishioner? If not, just call or email the secretary, and she will mail or email the form to you. Yes, it's that easy! And, if you are asked to be a Godparent for a Baptism or a Confirmation sponsor, you will be asked which church you attend, and if we are asked to verify it, we can only do so if you have registered with us.

STEWARDSHIP



Collections and Mail-ins for March 23 & 24, 2024 is \$6,046.61

Special Collections for April are: St. Michael's Academy – 4/7;

Repairs & Replacement – 4/21; Seminarian/Vocation Fund and Retired Priests – 4/28

A special note about foreign currency and coin – Unfortunately the bank cannot accept it, so please hold on to it for your personal use.

FOOD PANTRY

(Items are donated to the Open Pantry)

Needed Most is Oatmeal, Macaroni & Cheese, Spaghetti Sauce,

Canned Meat, Canned Vegetables and Peanut Butter

Again, a reminder to please not bring any fresh fruit, vegetables or cheese, etc. We can't accept anything that needs refrigeration! Also, please no expired foods. If they are too old for you to eat, they are too old to donate – just toss! Thank you for your understanding and generosity.



2024 Beacon of Faith Capital Campaign

The **2024 Annual Catholic Appeal** (through the Diocese) will be wrapped into the upcoming **Beacon of Faith Capital Campaign**. This campaign is an opportunity for us to take care of our local parish, support our priests, and raise funds for evangelization across western Massachusetts. Our parish will be launching the Beacon of Faith campaign this fall. Stay Tuned for more information!

Just a reminder - 2023 Donation Forms are still Available Upon Request

We truly appreciate the kind and generous support of our weekly envelope and online donors, and the tax deadline is just around the corner! To request your donation form for your tax purposes, here's how: If you donate **online**, please email bookkeeperholyname@gmail.com. If you donate through **weekly envelopes**, please email annfholyname@gmail.com. If you don't have an email, call the office at 733-5823, ext. 113 and leave your name, phone #, and whether you are an online or weekly envelope donor. Thanks!

SERVICE



- **Volunteers** to join our **church decorating committee**. If you're interested, see Sr. Leila after Mass or call her at 733-5823, ext. 123.
- **Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist** to help distribute Communion at all the Masses, but especially at the 4:30 and 10:30 Masses. If you would like to volunteer for this, Sr. Leila would welcome your call at 733-5823, ext. 123.
- **Altar Servers - Adults are welcome!** We will train you!
- **Basket passers for weekly collection** at Masses
- **Volunteer Committee Members** for special programs and events
- **Greeters** to hand out the bulletins at Sunday Masses and offer a friendly "hello".

Committee and Commission Meetings for 2024

Finance Committee –meets on the first Thursday of the month at **6:00p.m.** at the rectory

Pastoral Council – meets on the fourth Sunday of the month at **(New time - 3:00p.m.)** at the rectory

Spiritual Life Commission – meets on the second Wednesday of the month at **4:00p.m.** at the rectory

Note: Schedule is suspended for the summer months of July and August.

COMUNIDAD HISPANA

Necesitamos agrandar nuestro Comitee de voluntarios para los eventos de la Parroquia. Tamabién estamos solicitando maestras o maestros para las clases de catecismo que comienzan en Septiembre, 2024. Si siente el llamado para servir en alguno de estos ministerios, Favor de comunicarse con Marta Piñero al 413-733-5823 ext. #132 y dejar un mensaje con su nombre y numero de telefono. Le devolveremos la llamada lo mas pronto posible.

Fechas de Sacramentos Para Niños del Catecismo

Primera Reconciliación - Abril 27, 2024 @ 10:00am

Primer Ensallo – Abril 27, 2024 @ 11:00am. **Segundo ensallo** – Mayo 4, 2024 @ 5:30pm

Primera Comunión – Mayo 5, 2024 @ 10:30am (Misa Bilingue)

Fechas de Sacramentos Para Jovenes de Confirmación

Primera reconciliación – Mayo 19, 2024 @ 5:30pm

Ensallo para primera Comunión – Mayo 25, @ 5:30pm

Primera Comunión – Mayo 26, 2024 @ 12:30pm (Misa Hispana)

Practica para la Confirmación – Junio 1, 2024 @ 5:30pm

Confirmación – Junio 2, 2024 @ 5:30pm

Si desea que le visitemos para orar en su hogar, Para un Rosario, o para llevarle la comunión a alguna persona confinada a su hogar favor de llamar a Marta Piñero a la Rectoría 413-433-6170 ext #132 y dejar su información. Le devolveremos la llamada los mas pronto posible.

El Movimiento Juan 23 les invita al retiro retiro de hombres numero #120. Este se ofrecerá el 19, 20 y 21 de Abril en la Parroquia Sagrado Corazón. En el 1061 Springfield St. Feeding hills Mass. Para mas información puede comunicarse con Vanessa Pagán al 413-314-1092.

Para Bautizmos: Favor de verse con el Diacono Adalberto Santiago después de la Santa Misa. Las clases se están llevando a cabo los segundos Viernes del mes a las 6:pm, seguido por el Bautizmo el día siguiente Sabado 11:am. Para **Bodas, Quinciañeras, Primera Comunión, Confirmación** o **Presentación de recién nacidos**, favor de llamar a Marta Piñero a la oficina al 413-733-5823 – Ext. #132 y dejar su Nombre y numero de telefono.

Hora Santa – Sabados a las 7:00pm en la Iglesia

Contáctanos en Español

Marta Piñero 413-733-5823 Ext. 132



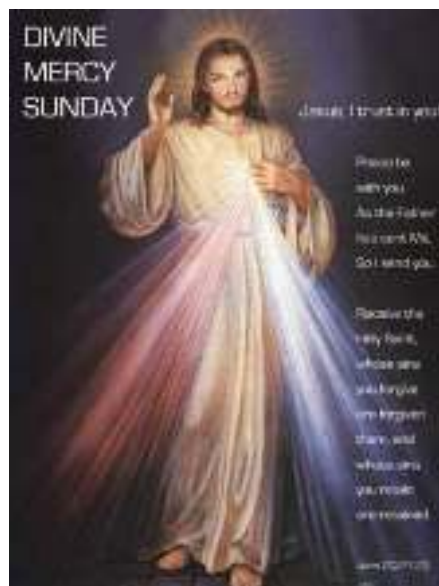
Holy Name Youth Soccer Sign-ups and Looking for Volunteer Coaches

Signups for u6, u8, u10 Soccer is now open. We are also in need of coaches for u8 and u10 teams. This will be our last effort to field these teams. If anyone has questions, or if you want to register, please contact Luke Cournoyer at lukehnaa@gmail.com. All coaches must submit a C.O.R.I. form to the parish prior to the opening of the season.

A Journey Into Prayer-This is a brief 4 weeks series on exploring Christian prayer. We will look at what prayer is and how it is lived out as a pathway for Christian Holiness. The goal will be to deepen both our understanding and practice of prayer and becoming more intimate with Jesus through Mary who lovingly beckons us to respond to his invitation. We will be looking at Scripture, the Catechism and the traditions of the Catholic Church. The series will meet on Thursdays in April (4/4 through 4/25) from 6:30pm-8:30pm at **Jericho Pastoral Center**. The series will be facilitated by Paul Laflamme and is sponsored by the Disciples of Mary. For more information please call Jean at 413-452-0511 or email: disciplesofmary@diospringfield.com.

Do you want to discover a deeper relationship with the Holy Spirit? Please join us for 7 sessions of renewing ourselves in the Holy Spirit. The gift of the Holy Spirit is not merely something reserved for Confirmation. The Spirit desires a relationship with us that will take us on the greatest adventure imaginable: a journey to the very heart of God. The Holy Spirit desires to be present to us in a manner that brings light out of darkness, freedom out of bondage, order out of chaos, and life out of death. The Wild Goose was a term that the ancient Celts had for the Holy Spirit. Inspired by the Wild Goose, Fr. Dave Pivonka, TOR presents the fourteen segments (on DVD) with a simple invitation to Christians into a more profound, life-giving relationship with the Holy Spirit. This is a relationship marked by the love of God, which breathes life into our daily existence. The **Wild Goose** will be presented at **Sacred Heart Church** located at 1065 Springfield St., Feeding Hills from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m. Tuesday, April 16 – May 28. We will view 2 segments, each about 25 minutes long. Discussion will follow. Together we will grow in a personal relationship with the Holy Spirit. It is recommended that you have a journal for the journey with the Wild Goose. Sponsored by the Disciples of Mary. Cost is \$15 which includes your Study guide. Send your check made out to Disciples of Mary and mail to Disciples of Mary, 537 Northampton St., Holyoke, MA 01040.

Please join us for 2024 **Pro-Life breakfast** Saturday, April 27, 2024 at 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. at **Wyckoff Country Club**, in Holyoke. Those who have chosen life over abortion will be sharing their stories. Tickets are \$30 per person. Please send checks to George Wilson, 279 Morgan St, South Hadley, MA, 01075. Your tickets will be held at the door. Attendees are encouraged to bring donation items to support Bethlehem House.



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