

A religious illustration of Jesus Christ standing on a bed of white clouds against a warm, orange-brown background. He has a halo and is wearing a red tunic with a blue mantle. His Sacred Heart is exposed and glowing with a cross and flames. His right hand is raised in a gesture of blessing, and his left hand is near his chest.

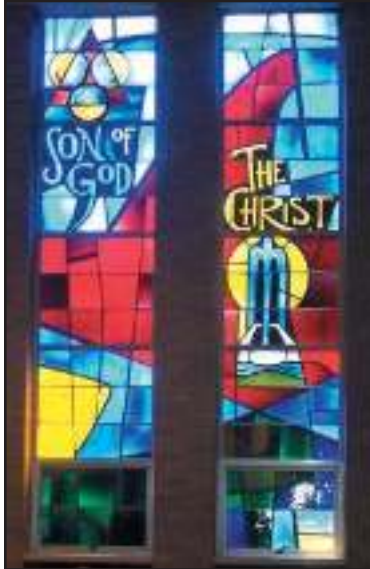
*keep them in
your name*

JOHN 17:11

May 12, 2024

HOLY NAME PARISH

A Roman Catholic Faith Service Community



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Website: holynamespringfieldma.org

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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SEVENTH SUNDAY OF EASTER



Saturday, May 11

4:30 Angel Corchado
By the Corchado Family

Sunday, May 12

8:30 Filomena Maida
By the Family

10:30 Special Intention for Jeraldo Vega
By his Daughter

12:30 Special Intention
By a Mom (for her Son)

Monday, May 13

8:15 Vera Murphy
By the Family

Tuesday, May 14

8:15 Paul Sears
By Margaret and Paul Martin

Wednesday, May 15

8:15 Tuong Nguyen
By the Family

(Funeral at 11:00, carpet cleaning begins right after)

Thursday, May 16

Church closed for carpet drying

Friday, May 17

8:15 George Circosta
By Margaret Martin

Saturday, May 18

8:15 Teresa Martin Egan
By Margaret and Paul Martin

4:30 Catherine and Brandon Bryson
By their Daughters

Sunday, May 19

8:30 Colette Mbiafo
By her daughter Denise

10:30 Carmela Ieraci
By the Family

12:30 Ramon Efrain Olivo
By sister Ematilde Olivo

WORSHIP



From Your Parochial Vicar

In the Gospel reading of today, we listen to Jesus praying for His disciples. He knows he will soon leave them. However, his primary concern is their unity. And so Jesus prays, "Holy Father, keep them in your name that you have given me, so that they may be one just as we are one." This prayer of Jesus is not just for the Apostles; it extends to all of us. So, we are invited to be committed to unity, especially in our parish.

Carpet Cleaning will be done on **Wednesday, May 15th** right after the 11:00a.m. funeral Mass. The church will be closed for all activities for the remainder of Wednesday until we re-open on Friday for the Mass at 8:15a.m.

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.

On the first Saturday of every month, the **Blue Army** group follows the 8:15a.m. Mass with a rosary, meditation on the mysteries and confession until approximately 10:30a.m. Everyone is invited to stay after Mass to take part.

Seventh Sunday of Easter -- May 12, 2024

"As You sent Me into the world, I have sent them." If you think the Lord may be inviting you to carry on His mission as a priest or religious brother or sister, talk to your priest or reach out to the Vocation Office at 413-248-7034 or via email: vocations@diospringfield.org.



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.

Lay Ministry Opportunity is Next Sunday **May 19th, 3:00 – 4:30 in the Church**

We are expanding and enriching our lay ministries of lectors, eucharistic ministers and altar servers. These are vital roles at Holy Name, and we need all who have served in the past, are currently serving and most importantly wish to serve to save this date and attend this meeting.

It will be an opportunity to interact with one another and establish and practice a set of consistent and liturgically sound routines and practices so that we can all confidently and appropriately carry out these roles. What a beautiful way to engage or re-engage in parish life and to be part of the spiritual growth and enrichment of our parish.

Please consider this important work, save the date on your calendar, and tap a friend to join you.

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.

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.

FIRST COMMUNION AT HOLY NAME CHURCH SUNDAY, MAY 5, 2024



STEWARDSHIP



Collections and Mail-ins for April 27 & 28, 2024 is \$6,721.04

Special Collections for May are:

Mother's Day – 5/5; Ascension of the Lord – 5/9; St. Michael's Academy – 5/12;

Candles & Altar – 5/26; Father's Day – 5/26

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

(Food is 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.

COMUNIDAD HISPANA

Si desea que le visitemos para orar en su hogar, Para un Rosario, o para llevarle la Comunión a alguna persona confinada en 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.

Necesitamos agrandar nuestro Comité de voluntarios para los eventos de la Parroquia. También estamos solicitando maestras y 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 Jovenes de Confirmación

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

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

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

Confirmación – Junio 2, 2024 @ 5:30pm

Estamos ampliando y enriqueciendo los ministerios de lectores, ministros de la Santa Comunión y Monaguillos para las Misas en Inglés. Estos ministerios son funciones vitales de la Misa, y necesitamos a todos los que sientan el llamado, puedan leer Inglés y tengan el deseo de servir para ayudar a nuestra Parroquia. Si siente el llamado a servir, guarden esta fecha y asistan a esta reunión. Domingo, 19 de mayo 2024, de 3:00 - 4:30pm en la Iglesia. Nuestros Hermanos de la comunidad de Habla Ingles, les invita a ser parte del crecimiento espiritual y el enriquecimiento de nuestra parroquia. Por favor, considere este importante trabajo. Muchas gracias.

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 Bautismo el día siguiente Sabado 11:am. Para **Bodas, Quinciañeros, Primera Comunión, Confirmación o Presentación de infantes**, 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



Thursday, May 16, 2024

The **National Shrine of The Divine Mercy in Stockbridge**, MA cordially invites you and your families and friends to a special presentation on **Eucharistic Miracles** given by Mr. Michael O'Neill from EWTN. 7:00 p.m. Admission is free. (Free Will Offerings would be welcome.) Refreshments will be provided.

Saturday, May 18, 2024

Our Lady of the Cross Church in Holyoke will be holding a **Tag Sale** from 9:00 AM to 3:00 PM and May 19th from 9:00 AM to 1:00 PM. Rain or Shine. It will be held in our Parish Hall at 1140 Dwight St. Holyoke. Tons of treasure for all ages! For more information please call 413-532-5661.

Disciples of Mary and the **Catholic Charismatic Renewal** invite you to join us for a **Pentecost Celebration** on Sunday, May 19th 2024 on the Jericho Grounds, 537 Northampton St., Holyoke (If rain, then in the Celebration Center) Chairs will be available, but bring your own for comfort. The schedule will be 2:00 p.m. Praise & Worship, 3:00 p.m. Mass followed by Prayer overs. Social follows immediately after prayer overs. Call if you are coming 413-452-0511, or email disciplesofmary@diospringfield.com with a number of adults and children. All are welcome. We are handicap accessible.

Sunday, May 19, 2024

Come join our Interfaith gathering "**Cry Out For Peace Concert**" Sunday, May 19 at 3:00 p.m. @ **Our Lady of Peace Church**, 90 7th Street-Turners Falls, MA Featuring music by the Our Lady of Peace Singers and Eventide Singers and Inspirational readings from well-known champions of peace and justice. Admission is Free. For details, call 413 863-5397.

Saturday, May 25, 2024 (Rain date May 27)

Motorcycle Blessing at **National Shrine of the Divine Mercy**, Stockbridge. Food is available for purchase starting at 11 a.m. Blessing will take place after the 2 p.m. Mass. Call for more information (413) 298-3931.

May 31 – June 2, 2024

Rachel's Vineyard invites you to a weekend of healing from May 31 – June 2, 2024. The retreat is a confidential, safe and supportive weekend open to all women and men suffering after abortion. This retreat is available in Spanish only. To register, call 413 452-0661. All calls are confidential.

We are pleased to announce that we will be having our **First White Mass** for everyone in the diocese involved in healthcare. Bishop Byrne will be celebrating the Mass and invites all healthcare workers to attend. Sunday, June 2 @ 10:00 a.m. at **St. Michael's Cathedral**, State Street in Springfield. For more information please email Dr. Peter Kelly at lpjs@aol.com. All are welcome!

Come Let Your Heart Be Transformed - **22nd Annual Diocesan-Wide Eucharistic Rosary Procession** at St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Parish Church, 99 King St., Northampton, MA, on Sunday, June 2, 2024, 2-5 P.M. (Rain or Shine). Feast of Corpus Christi. Guest Speaker: Reverend David Aufiero. Sacrament of Confession will be available beginning at 1:30 P.M. Talk at 2:00p.m. by Rev. David Aufiero: "The Eucharist Will Make You a Saint". Rosary Procession through downtown Northampton (1.8 miles), (transportation available for those who are unable to walk in the procession) Chaplet of Divine Mercy, Adoration, and Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament, upon returning to the church Reception to follow prayerful event. For more information or to volunteer, call George or Brenda at: (413) 221-4372 Email: eucharisticrosaryprocession@gmail.com www.eucharisticprocessionnorthampton.com

Baystate Medical Center in Springfield is in desperate need of **volunteer Eucharistic Ministers** to bring Holy Communion to patients. We invite Eucharistic Ministers interested in assisting with this important ministry to contact Father Fidelis Lemchi, who serves as priest-chaplain at Baystate fedelis.lemchi@baystatehealth.org /413-794-2627.

BE ON GUARD! Criminals are constantly coming up with new internet schemes to try to trick well intentioned people into sending them money. These con artists can be very convincing and are good at sounding legitimate BUT REMEMBER **no priest, or parish staff member would ever request a donation in the form of a gift card.** If someone is requesting payment in the form of a gift card - then it is almost certainly a scam. Do not respond, and immediately call your local police department. You should also call your priest or parish staff member using the phone numbers and/or email addresses found in the parish bulletin/parish website/diocesan website and alert them.

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