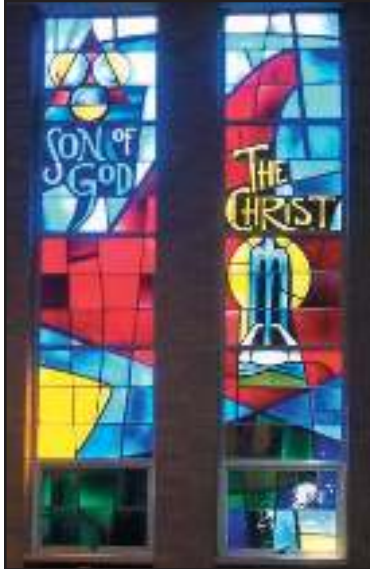


*Were not our hearts burning  
within us while he spoke to us  
on the way and opened the  
scriptures to us?*

LUKE 24:32

# HOLY NAME PARISH

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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, 1:00-4:00 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 the Vocations Office, 413-452-0816; or email [vocations@diospringfield.org](mailto:vocations@diospringfield.org). Fr. Piotr Pawlus is Director of Recruiting and Fr. David Darcy (413-896-6397) is Director of Seminarians.

### 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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733-5823**

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**THIRD SUNDAY  
of EASTER**



**Saturday, April 18**

**4:30 Mass for All Souls**  
*By Angela Scala*

**Sunday, April 19**

**8:30 Deceased Members of the  
Hayfron, Benjamin, LeMaire and  
Menends Families**  
*By the LeMaire Family*

**10:30 Homer Gebo (Birthday  
Remembrance)**  
*By the Family*  
**Acquillo and Carmela Daniele**  
*By Carla Truoiolo*

**Assunta "Sue" Messier**  
*By Margaret Martin*

**12:30 Blanca Davila**  
*By the Davila Family*

**Maria Luisa Rivera**  
*By the Davila Family*  
**Milton Alexander Canjura**  
*By Maria L. Canjura*

**Monday, April 20**

**8:15 J.K.**  
*By a Friend*

**Tuesday, April 21**

**8:15 Blasina Lopez**  
*By Evelyn M.*

**Wednesday, April 22**

**8:15 Celebrant's Intention**

**Thursday, April 23**

**8:15 Deceased Members of the Nguyen  
and Tran Families**  
*By the Family*

**Friday, April 24**

**8:15 Holy Name Parishioners**

**Saturday, April 25**

**8:15 Celebrant's Intention**  
**4:30 Patricia Hamilton**  
*By her Four Daughters and  
Families*

**Sunday, April 26**

**8:30 Celebrant's Intention**  
**10:30 Celebrant's Intention**  
**12:30 Comcepcion Lemus**  
*By Maria L. Canjura*

# WORSHIP

## From Your Pastor



On this Third Sunday of Easter Mother Church presents us Luke's account 24:13-35 specifying the conversation of two of His disciples on the road to Emmaus. Saint Luke displays something found in all the recorded appearances of the Risen Lord. Jesus meets people exactly where they are for instance: Mary Magdalene in her weeping, Thomas Didymus in his doubting, the group gathered in the upper room in their fear. Here He meets the two disciples in their disillusionment and disbelief. One of the many wonderful things about the episode is that by not revealing Himself immediately to them but simply accompanying them as a companion along the way. Jesus respects their experience and lets them tell out their story to the end. Only then does He pick it and weave it into His own instruction. After recognizing Jesus, the disciples did not stay in Emmaus. They ran back to Jerusalem to share the news: The Lord has truly been raised. We are called to do the same. Easter is not just a season of joy for us only; it is a mission. We are to bring hope to the discouraged, light to those in darkness, and the presence of Christ to those who feel alone.

*Eucharistic*  
**ADORATION**

*is on Tuesdays, 1:00 to 4:00p.m.*

The Chaplet is prayed at 3p.m., the Rosary is prayed at 3:30p.m. followed by Benediction.

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 approx. 10:30a.m. Everyone is invited to stay after Mass to take part.

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.

### **The Book for Mass Intentions for July - December Is Open**

Please email to [annfholyname@gmail.com](mailto:annfholyname@gmail.com) or call if you prefer. Please be reminded that we can now take multiple intentions for the **Sunday 10:30a.m. and 12:30p.m. Masses**. The Mass stipend is still \$15.00 if that is affordable.

Many, many thanks from Sr. Leila to everyone who helped setting up and decorating the church for the **Triduum!** Your help is appreciated more than you know!



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! (Note: if you are asked to be a Godparent for a Baptism or a Confirmation sponsor, you will be asked which church you regularly 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 April 2,3,4, & 5, 2026 totaled \$9,449.33. Thank you!**

**April special collections are:** Holy Land/Good Friday 4-3; Easter and St. Michael's 4-5; Repairs and Replacement 4-19; Seminarian/Vocation Fund and Retired Priests 4-26

## EDUCATION

### RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

**Confirmation students** - No classes April 18<sup>th</sup> and 25<sup>th</sup> due to school vacation.

**Sunday students** - No classes April 19<sup>th</sup> and 26<sup>th</sup> due to school vacation.

**Special Schedule for Sunday "First Communion" students** – Gather on Saturday, **May 2<sup>nd</sup>** at church for the 8:15a.m. Mass and stay for 9:00a.m. first Confessions. First Communion practice is Saturday, **May 16<sup>th</sup>** at 5:30p.m. in the church. First Communion is Sunday, **May 17<sup>th</sup>** at the 10:30a.m. Mass. **All students must attend.**

## SERVICE



We are once again requesting food items for the **OPEN PANTRY**. As always, we appreciate your giving spirit. The items hoped for are (and we have a **few new ones** added to the list!!):

**Canned meats and canned vegetables, Oatmeal or Cereal (hot or cold), Peanut Butter and Jelly to go with it, Macaroni and Cheese, Soup and Spaghetti Sauce.**

And, as always, no perishables like cheese, fruit, etc.!! Thank you!



### LOAVES AND FISHES



Every first Monday of the month members of our parish cook and bring **American Chop Suey** to South Congregational Church to serve the hungry of our city. If you can help with the cooking, please call Ann at the rectory, 733-5823. You may use your own recipe. Meals can be dropped off between 4:15 and 4:30p.m., or you are invited to stay and help serve. You'll find plenty of safe parking right in the church parking lot. **Your service and generosity are greatly appreciated!**

## COMUNIDAD HISPANA

### **Mensaje Del Padre John Chrisostom Tibakunirwa**

En este Tercer Domingo de Pascua, la Madre Iglesia nos presenta el relato de Lucas 24:13-35, que describe la conversación de dos de sus discípulos en el camino a Emaús. San Lucas muestra algo que se encuentra en todas las apariciones registradas del Señor Resucitado. Jesús se encuentra con las personas exactamente donde están, por ejemplo: María Magdalena en su llanto, Tomás Dídimo en su duda, el grupo reunido en el aposento alto en su miedo. Aquí Él se encuentra con los dos discípulos en su desilusión e incredulidad. Una de las muchas cosas maravillosas de este episodio es que, al no revelarse inmediatamente a ellos, sino simplemente acompañarlos como compañero en el camino, Jesús respeta su experiencia y les permite contar su historia hasta el final. Solo entonces la toma y la entreteje

en su propia enseñanza. Después de reconocer a Jesús, los discípulos no se quedaron en Emaús. Corrieron de regreso a Jerusalén para compartir la noticia: El Señor ha resucitado verdaderamente. Estamos llamados a hacer lo mismo. La Pascua no es solo una temporada de alegría para nosotros; es una misión. Debemos llevar esperanza a los desanimados, luz a los que están en la oscuridad, y la presencia de Cristo a aquellos que se sienten solos.

### **EDUCACIÓN RELIGIOSA**

- Estudiantes de Confirmación – No habrá clases el 18 y 25 de abril debido a las vacaciones escolares.
  - Estudiantes de los domingos – No habrá clases el 19 y 26 de abril debido a las vacaciones escolares.
  - Horario especial para los estudiantes de “Primera Comunión” de los domingos – Reunirse el sábado 2 de mayo en la iglesia para la Misa de las 8:15 a.m. y permanecer para las primeras Confesiones a las 9:00 a.m.
  - El ensayo de Primera Comunión será el sábado 16 de mayo a las 5:30 p.m. en la iglesia.
  - La Primera Comunión será el domingo 17 de mayo en la Misa de las 10:30 a.m.
- Todos los estudiantes deben asistir.

¡Muchísimas gracias de parte de la Hna. Leila a todos los que ayudaron a preparar y decorar la iglesia para el Triduo! ¡Su ayuda es apreciada más de lo que imaginan!

El movimiento Juan 23 les invita al retiro de mujeres #129. Que se llevará a cabo del 1 al 3 de Mayo en la Parroquia San Antonio de Padua en Chicopee. Para inscripción o mas información favor de verse con Vanessa Pagán o llamar al: 413-314-1092.

Una vez más estamos solicitando donaciones de alimentos para la PANTRY ABIERTA. Como siempre, agradecemos su generoso espíritu. Los artículos que necesitamos son (¡y hemos agregado algunos nuevos a la lista!): Carnes enlatadas y verduras enlatadas , Avena o cereal (caliente o frío), Mantequilla de maní y mermelada para acompañar. Macarrones con queso. Sopa y salsa para espagueti. **Y, como siempre, no se aceptan perecederos como queso, fruta, etc. ¡Gracias!**

### **¡Damos la bienvenida a nuevos feligreses!**

¿Te interesa unirse a nuestra comunidad parroquial? ¡Los nuevos feligreses son muy bienvenidos a registrarse con nuestra parroquia! Hay hojas de registración junto a la puerta de salida del estacionamiento, o puedes pedirle una al sacerdote. Solo tienes que llenarla, y te enviaremos un paquete de bienvenida. Para más información, llama al 733-5823, para español oprima la extensión #132.

Cuando se intenta contactar a un sacerdote en una situación de emergencia para administrar el Sacramento de la Unción de los Enfermos a una persona hospitalizada, si un sacerdote parroquial no está disponible de inmediato y el tiempo es crítico, debe haber un capellán disponible las 24 horas del día, los 7 días de la semana, en cada uno de los hospitales del área.

El Señor sigue llamando a hombres y mujeres de fe para servirle con generosidad en su Iglesia. Si sientes en tu corazón el deseo de poner tus talentos al servicio de Dios y de la comunidad, y te gustaria servir en algun ministerio como Lector de la Palabra, Ministros Extraordinarios de la Sagrada Comunión, Ujier, Monaguillo o como Músico en el coro parroquial, se pueden ver con Marta Piñero después de la Santa Misa, o llamarla a la Oficina Parroquial y dejar su nombre y número de teléfono en la extensión #132. O enviando un correo electronico a: [marta.pinero23@gmail.com](mailto:marta.pinero23@gmail.com)  
¡Tu servicio es un don para Dios y una bendición para nuestra comunidad!

### **INTENCIONES DE MISA – EL LIBRO ESTÁ ABIERTO PARA ABRIL A DICIEMBRE DE 2026**

Por favor envíe un correo electrónico a [annfholyname@gmail.com](mailto:annfholyname@gmail.com) o llame si lo prefiere. Para Español, envíe un correo electrónico a: [marta.pinero23@gmail.com](mailto:marta.pinero23@gmail.com) o llamar a la oficina dejando un mensaje en la extensión #132. Les recordamos que ahora podemos recibir **múltiples intenciones** (llamadas *Intenciones Colectivas de Misa*) **solamente para las Misas de los domingos a las 10:30 a.m. y 12:30 p.m.** La donación por la Misa continúa siendo de **\$15.00**, si está dentro de sus posibilidades.

**Para Bodas, Quinciañeros, preparación de Adultos para matrimonio, Presentación de infantes:** Favor de verse con Marta Piñero después de la Santa Misa o llamar a la oficina al 413-733-5823 – Ext. #132 y dejar su Nombre y numero de telefono o enviando un correo electronico a: [marta.pinero23@gmail.com](mailto:marta.pinero23@gmail.com)

**Para Primera Comunión o Confirmación,** favor de verse con la Hna. Caritina, o llamarla al 413-733-5823 – Ext. #130 o al 413-777-5115.

## Grupos Hispanos

**Hora Santa Sábados**  
**@ 7:00pm en la Iglesia**

**Hora Santa primeros sabados**  
**del mes @ 5:00am**

**Legión de María**  
**Martes @ 6:00pm**

**Movimiento Juan XXIII**  
**Miércoles @ 7:00pm**

**Acompáñenos a rezar el Rosario antes de la Misa Hispana. Los Domingos a las 11:45am.**

### Contáctanos en Español

Marta Piñero 413-733-5823 Ext. #132



**Our Lady of the Lake Church** in Southwick is celebrating its' **75<sup>th</sup> Anniversary** this year and invites you to celebrate along with them at their upcoming activities. **May 6<sup>th</sup>**, they will host a History and Memorabilia Open House featuring people and events that helped shape our faith community. On **June 21<sup>st</sup>**, Bishop Byrne will celebrate a 10 AM Mass, and on **June 28<sup>th</sup>**, at 10 AM they will celebrate with a Parish Anniversary Mass followed by a Parish Picnic.

The **Disciples of Mary** invite you to a **Life in the Spirit Seminar**, led by Paul Laflamme and his team. The seminar will be held on Mondays, **April 20-June 1, 2026** at the **St. Stanislaus School**, 534 Front St., Chicopee, MA. Come and learn how to have a more personal relationship with Jesus Christ through the power of the Holy Spirit. The seminar includes: encountering Christ, personal mentoring, and praise and worship. As the earth renews itself this springtime, come renew yourself in the Spirit. All are welcome, St. Stanislaus School is handicap accessible. For more information call 413-452-0511 or email: [disciplesofmary@diospringfield.org](mailto:disciplesofmary@diospringfield.org). To register please send your information and a check for \$20 to Disciples of Mary, 537 Northampton St., Holyoke, MA 01040. We look forward to seeing you there.

The **Singing Priests** are coming to **Holy Cross Church** in Springfield on Sunday, **April 26<sup>th</sup>** at 3p.m.

Mary and The Writings of St. Francis, a **Spring Senior Retreat Day**, will be held at Jericho, 537 Northampton St., Holyoke, MA on Wednesday, **May 6, 2026**. Registrations will begin at 8:00 a.m., the program will begin promptly at 9:00 a.m. The day includes the presentation by Fr. Brad Milunski, confessions, Adoration, free time, lunch at Hamel's and concludes with Mass. Gift shop items will be available for sale with cash or check only. For details, please call 413-452-0511 or email [disciplesofmary@diospringfield.org](mailto:disciplesofmary@diospringfield.org). To register please send a check for \$25.00 made payable to and send to: Disciples of Mary, 537 Northampton St., Holyoke, MA 01040. The event is sponsored by the Disciples of Mary. Pope Leo XIV has proclaimed 2026 as a Year in the Footsteps of St. Francis of Assisi. Join us for this event led by Fr. Brad, a Franciscan, Pastor of the Basilica of St. Stanislaus B.M. It will be a day of learning, prayer, and spiritual enrichment.

**Bethlehem House**, a ministry to new families, is in urgent need for volunteers who can work 10:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m. This would include working with clients and preparing supplies for distribution. Bethlehem House cannot operate without its dedicated volunteers. Please contact them at 413 262-8517 or 413 527-2861 for details on the day(s) needed, etc.

**The Society of St. Vincent de Paul of Worcester and Hampden Counties** is now offering free curbside pick-up of clothing, shoes, books, and household items. The funds received go to help our neighbors in need with (but not limited to) food, clothing, rent, and utilities. To schedule a free home pick-up, visit our website at <https://svdpworcester.org> and click on the "How You Can Help" tab, then choose "Schedule a Home Pick-Up." Complete the form, and you're done! You may also contact our partner (CMRK) at 508-474-8966. Please help us help our neighbors in need! Thank you!

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