

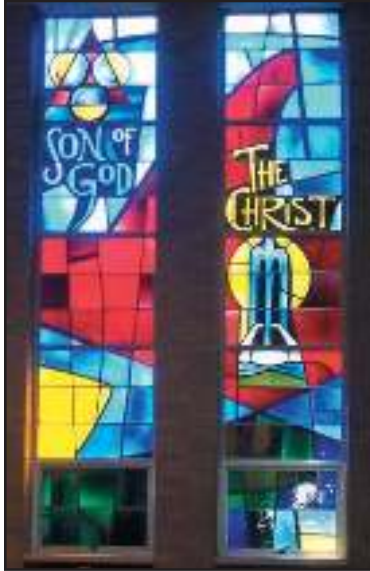
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AND THE TRUTH
AND THE LIFE

JOHN 14:6

May 3, 2026

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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, 1:00-4:00 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. 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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**FIFTH SUNDAY
OF EASTER**



Saturday, May 2

4:30 Myles and Sabra Keery
(Anniversary Remembrance)
By the Family

Sunday, May 3

8:30 Celebrant's Intention
10:30 Intentions of Rosa Scala
12:30 Jorge Luis Molina
By Maria L. Canjura
**All Deceased and Living Members
of the Legion of Mary**
*By Our Lady of Fatima
Praesidium*
Aurelio Pinero Velazquez
By the Family

Monday, May 4

8:15 Robin
By a Friend

Tuesday, May 5

8:15 Bernice Bujak
By Tom Burke

Wednesday, May 6

8:15 Souls in Purgatory

Thursday, May 7

8:15 Holy Name Parishioners

Friday, May 8

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

Saturday, May 9

8:15 Celebrant's Intention
4:30 Jason Jimenez (25th Anniversary)
By Carmen and Shawn

Sunday, May 10

8:30 Souls in Purgatory
10:30 Carmela Ieraci
By the Family
**12:30 Blanca Davila and Edugives
Hernandez**
By the Davila Family
Antonia Molina
By Maria L. Canjura
Mercedes Santos
By Ana Reynoso
Gustavo Cartagena
By his Mother and Family

WORSHIP

From Your Pastor



ON THIS FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER MOTHER CHURCH OFFERS US A MESSAGE FROM JOHN'S GOSPEL (14:1-12) THAT RUNS THUS: DO NOT LET YOUR HEARTS BE TROUBLED...I AM THE WAY, THE TRUTH AND LIFE.THESE WORDS REFERENCE CHRIST TALKING TO TROUBLED HEARTS.WHAT IS ABUNDANTLY CLEAR IS: HE DOES NOT GIVE A MAP. HE GIVES HIMSELF. SO, TO SPEAK OUR PEACE COMES FROM NOT FROM KNOWING EVERY STEP AHEAD, BUT FROM KNOWING WHO WALKS WITH US.

IN TODAY'S SECOND READING (1 PETER 2:4-9) PETR CALLS US LIVING STONES IN GOD'S HOUSE.CHRIST IS THE CORNERSTONE- WITHOUT HIM WE CRUMBLE. WITH HIM WE STAND STRONG TOGETHER. AS OUR FAITH LIFE GROWS BEING AWARE FOF THIS HELPS: WHEN LIFE FEELS UNCERTAIN, LET US REMEMBER: JESUS IS NOT A GUIDE- HE IS THE WAY. IT IS CRITICAL TO TRUST HIM ALWAYS, FOLLOW HIM AND YOU WILL FIND LIFE. DAYS AHEAD I ENCOURAGE: TRUST JESUS IN YOUR JOYS, WORRIES, CHALLENGES.IF THERE IS ANYTHING WORTH DOING IT IS THIS: ENDEAVOR TO STAY CONNECTED TO CHRIST YOUR CORNERSTONE.YOU WILL SEE THE BENEFITS IN DUE SEASON.

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 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.



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 18 & 19, 2026 totaled \$5,783.67. Thank you!

May special collections are: May 3 – Mother's Day; May 10 – St. Michael's; May 14 – Ascension of The Lord; May 24 – Candles and Altar; May 31 – Father's Day

ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL UPDATE

Our first update from the Diocese shows that Holy Name Parishioners have donated \$21,785.01 for this year. There is still time to participate. There are pledge envelopes available in the church to take home, fill out, and they are already addressed to the diocese – just add your stamp. You can enclose a check or pay via a charge card. Whatever amount you are able to donate is greatly appreciated.

EDUCATION

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION



Special Schedule for Sunday “First Communion” students – First Communion practice is Saturday, **May 16th** at 5:30p.m. in the church. First Communion is Sunday, **May 17th** at the 10:30a.m. Mass. **All students must attend each of these dates.**

Confirmation Update – We are very happy that the Diocese has confirmed Bishop Byrne will be here at Holy Name to administer the Sacrament of Confirmation to our students on Sunday, June 7th at 5:00p.m.

SERVICE



As always, we appreciate your giving spirit by donating food for the **OPEN PANTRY**. 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



This being the 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. **Thanks for your service and generosity.**

COMUNIDAD HISPANA

Mensaje Del Padre John Chrisostom Tibakunirwa

En este Quinto Domingo de Pascua, la Santa Madre Iglesia nos ofrece un mensaje del Evangelio de San Juan (14:1-12), que dice así: “No se turbe su corazón... Yo soy el Camino, la Verdad y la Vida.” Estas palabras hacen referencia a Cristo hablando a corazones turbados. Lo que queda abundantemente claro es esto: Él no nos da un mapa; Él se da a sí mismo. Así, nuestra paz no proviene de conocer cada paso por adelantado, sino de saber quién camina con nosotros. En la segunda lectura de hoy (1 Pedro 2:4-9), Pedro nos llama piedras vivas en la casa de Dios. Cristo es la piedra angular; sin Él nos desmoronamos, pero con Él permanecemos firmes y unidos. A medida que crece nuestra vida de fe, es importante ser conscientes de esto: cuando la vida se sienta incierta, recordemos que Jesús no es solo un guía, Él es el Camino. Es fundamental confiar siempre en Él; síganlo y encontrarán la vida. En los días venideros les animo a confiar en Jesús en sus alegrías, preocupaciones y desafíos. Si hay algo que realmente vale la pena hacer, es esto: esfuércense por permanecer unidos a Cristo, su piedra angular. Verán los frutos a su debido tiempo.

EDUCACIÓN RELIGIOSA

La práctica 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 a cada una de estas fechas. **Actualización de Confirmación** – Nos alegra mucho que la Diócesis haya confirmado que el Obispo Byrne estará aquí en Holy Name para administrar el Sacramento de la Confirmación a nuestros estudiantes el domingo 7 de junio a las 5:00 p.m.

Le invitamos a participar en el grupo de formación titulado “**Conociendo Nuestra Fe**” el cual ya se está llevando a cabo a través de la aplicación whats app. Esta formación está siendo dirigida por el **Padre Kleber Cardoso** desde Brazil. El que este interesado a ser parte de este crecimiento espiritual favor de ver a Marta después de la misa para obtener su información. O llamando a la parroquia dejando su información en la extensión #132 o enviando un correo electrónico a marta.pinero23@gmail.com. Te esperamos!!

Una vez más estamos solicitando donaciones de alimentos para EL OPEN PANTRY. 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 electrónico a: 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 o llame si lo prefiere. Para Español, envíe un correo electrónico a: 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, Bautismo, 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 número de teléfono o enviando un correo electrónico a: 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 Hispánicos

Hora Santa Sábados
@ 7:00pm en la Iglesia

Hora Santa primeros sábados
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' **75th Anniversary** this year and invites you to celebrate along with them at their upcoming activities. **May 6th**, they will host a History and Memorabilia Open House featuring people and events that helped shape our faith community. On **June 21st**, Bishop Byrne will celebrate a 10 AM Mass, and on **June 28th**, 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. 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.

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. 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.

Join Fr David Darcy and 206 Tours for a **pilgrimage to Our Lady of Guadalupe & Mexico City, December 9-15, 2026!** Transportation from Bradley International Airport or airport of your choice, BLD daily at your five-star hotel or local restaurants. Total cost \$3,614.00 based on double occupancy. Go to 206tours.com/frdarcy/Mexico to look over all of the details and register. If you have any questions you can call or email Teresa Benoit: 917-604-1155 or contact teresabenoit@gmail.com.

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