

Sacred Heart Catholic Church

PA Charitable Trust
337 Center Street – St. Marys, PA 15857

Sacred Heart Parish Office: 814-834-7861 Fax: 814-834-1376 • Sacred Heart Parish Center: 814- 834-4017
e-mail: sacredheartparish@windstream.net • Website: www.sacredheartparish.us
Parish Office Hours: 9:00 AM - 4:00 PM

Mission Statement

Through our gifts of time, talents, and treasures, we serve our parish as we journey together to the Kingdom of God.

Parish Staff

Pastor..... Father Thomas Curry, O.S.B.
Deacon..... William "Bill" Gibson
Deacon..... Andrew "Andy" Froberg
Office Manager / Finance..... Patsy McAllister
Receptionist / Sec..... Pat Kneidel
Bulletin..... Kathy Reuscher
Custodian..... Dave Farley

St. Marys Catholic Cemetery Office .. 814-781-7275

Faith Formation Team

Mary Lynn Carnovale, Sec./Admin. Assist. ..814-781-1042
Kathy Cheatle, Elementary Coordinator.....814-781-3009
Samantha Nedzinski,
Middle School Coordinator.....814-781-1042
Nick Heise, Middle/Life Teen/Confirmation Coordinator,
Youth Ministry.....814-781-1042

Good Shepherd Program

Sally Smith, (Pre Thru First Grade).....814-781-6422

Elk County Catholic School System

Sam MacDonald, President.....814-834-7812
Bob Breindel, Director/Finance.....814-781-3144
Susan Jansen, Director/Advancement.....814-834-1480
Jessica Fritz, Communications/ Marketing...814-834-1480

School Principals

Debbie Slay, Principal, Catholic Elementary.....814-834-4169
John Schneider, Principal, ECCHS & Middle School
.....814-834-7800

Cafeterias

Elementary.....814-834-4927
Middle/High.....814-834-7800

Ministries & Committees

Finance Council..... Patty Brock
Pastoral Council..... Christopher Martini
RCIA..... Kathy Cheatle
Liturgical Committee..... Lois Sadley
Music Director..... Lois Sadley
Care & Concern..... Church Office
Cursillo Coordinators..... Mike & Kim Sloff
Social Committee..... Helene Burdick / Linda Brunner
Buildings & Grounds..... Ron Herbstritt
Sacred Heart Parish SUPER Bingo. Patsy, Jim & Helene
Saint Anne Society..... Helene Burdick
Small Faith Communities..... Sam & Barbara Glatt
Saint Vincent dePaul Society..... Tom Dornisch
Pre-Cana Coordinators..... Phil & Sandy Hoh
Natural Family Planning..... Andy & Cathy Dornisch
ProLife 814-834-3834..... Mary Bea Maloney
Post-Abortion Counseling..... Rachelsvineyard.org
Youth Ministry Website..... sminterparishff.com
Boy Scout Troop 95 (smtroop95.com)..... Lad Kornacki
Cub Scout Pack 95..... Andy Dornisch

Confessions: Saturday: 3:00-3:45 p.m.

First Friday Week:

Thursday: 4:00 p.m. Until all are heard

Anytime by Appointment

Mass Schedule

Saturday - 4:00 p.m.

Sunday - 7:00, 9:00 and 11:00 a.m.

Weekday - 6:15 a.m. (Monday—Friday)

Holy Days - Listed in Bulletin

Bulletin Deadline Monday – 10:00 a.m. – In Writing

ELK COUNTY RIGHT TO LIFE MEETING~ will be on **Tuesday, February 8, 2022** at 6:30 p.m., in the St. Mary's Church Parish Annex. For additional information, please contact Mary Bea at 814-834-3834. **How precious LIFE is!!**



CURSILLO NEWS~ Cursillo weekends planned for men and women in the spring. The Erie Cursillo Movement is currently planning and accepting candidate applications for a

Men's Cursillo Feb. 11-13, 2022, and a Women's Cursillo April 29 to May 1, 2022.

Applications can be found at www.eriecursillo.org, or by calling the Cursillo office at 814-824-1119.

If interested, ask **Kim or Mike Sloff** or someone you know who has completed a Cursillo weekend to serve as your sponsor. It's a **GREAT** experience and you won't be disappointed.



ADULT CONFIRMATION CLASSES

Are you an adult Catholic who was never confirmed? Have you been asked to be a Godparent to an infant or child about to be baptized? Does someone you love want you to sponsor them for their Confirmation?

Classes for practicing Catholic adults seeking the Sacrament of Confirmation will be starting soon. Members of all area parishes are welcome.

Classes will be held one evening a week for six weeks, and participants will be confirmed by the Bishop in the spring. The cost to you is some time; the rewards are beyond measure. **For more information, please contact your parish office, or Kathy Cheatle at 781-3009.**



February 5(S): Vigil of Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time
 4:00 p.m. †† Ernest & Catherine Herbstritt (An.)

February 6: Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time
 7:00 a.m. For Sacred Heart Parishioners
 9:00 a.m. † Louise DeSio
 11:00 a.m. † Thomas J. Gerg (An.)

February 7(M): Fifth Week in Ordinary Time
 6:15 a.m. † Sr. Mariella Hathorn, OSB

February 8(T): Fifth Week in Ordinary Time
 6:15 a.m. † Poor Souls

February 9(W): Fifth Week in Ordinary Time
 6:15 a.m. Sacred Heart Volunteers

February 10(Th): St. Scholastica, Virgin, Religious Founder
 6:15 a.m. L/D Nick & Frances (An.) Solic Family

February 11(F): Fifth Week in Ordinary Time
 6:15 a.m. † William A. "Bill" Bauer

February 12(S): Vigil of Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time
 4:00 p.m. † Walter Clark (An.)

February 13: Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time
 7:00 a.m. For Sacred Heart Parishioners
 9:00 a.m. † Janice Simons (An.)
 11:00 a.m. † Nevin Ross (An.)



The week of February 6, 2022 the Angel Lamps in the Sanctuary burn for the following intentions:

† Paul McGill
 † Walter Clark (An.)

A FAMILY PERSPECTIVE

In today's gospel Jesus asked Simon to start by "going a short distance." Later he asked Simon to "go into deeper water." The first step toward reconciliation is usually a "short distance" which gives us the courage to further "into deeper water." Reconciliation starts with the first short step!



BAPTISMAL PREPARATION CLASSES

Date: February 17, 2022 **Time:** 6:30 p.m. **Place:** St. Mark, Emporium
 814-486-0569

WORD OF LIFE!!

"They do not love who do not show their love."
 (William Shakespeare) Look for a tangible way to show your beloved you care for him/her today. BUT, also, let this "easy love," prompt you to extend your love to others today, even those with whom you disagree.

THANK YOU

For the donation to the Church
 In memory of **Glenn E. Bauer:** \$10
 In memory of **Kathleen M. Bauer:** \$25
 In memory of **David Hoy:** \$25

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT
 will be held in Sacred Heart Church on Friday from 7:00 a.m. until closing with Benediction at 4:00 p.m.

PLEASE PRAY for the repose of the souls of all the faithful departed especially Kathleen M. Bauer, Roger J. Brennen, Jessie M. Housler (Mother of R. Andy Housler), Verna R. Pelleschi (Sister of Velma O'Dell), Jason P. Swanson (Grandson of Virginia Volovar) and Lucy T. Timm (Mother of Frank W. Timm).
 May God grant them eternal rest and comfort all those who mourn them.

PRAYER LIST - Let us remember all the sick especially Chrissy Aikens, Sharon Boylan, Alice Feldbauer, Michael Gary, Don Geci, Louise Georgevich, Deacon Bill Gibson, Kathleen Glatfelter, Beth Gornati, Beula Kestler, Tom Nellis Jr., Tammy Pearsall, Asher Quinn, John Rettger, Kathleen (Daisy) Rowley, Kathryn Samick, Matthew Sharrow, Joanne Weidow, Steve Wendel, & Judy Wolfel. We pray in hope that God's healing power may touch all those who are sick.

SACRED HEART PRAYER CHAIN - If you want to be placed on the prayer chain for any need, just call Rose at 814-781-6430, or Ann at 814-834-6534.

FATIMA PRAYER GROUP

Monday Night Apostolate of Fatima Prayer Group will pray the Rosary at Sacred Heart Church starting at 6:00 p.m. **All are welcome.**

WEEKEND COLLECTION

Beginning this weekend, February 5-6, 2022, we will be going back to the Ushers taking up the Collection at all weekend Masses, with the long handle baskets. The baskets that have been placed at the entrances of the Church will be removed.



"31 DAY" VOCATION CALENDAR - Please

consider joining the Parish "31 Club" for Vocations to the Religious Life. Try to attend a Mass, Holy Hour, Pray a Rosary **OR** pray on your chosen date and offer it for:

- Priests/religious who have served our parish in the **past**.
- For those priests, religious and deacons serving **now**.
- To ask the Lord of the harvest for **future** vocations.

7th Jake Meyer, Fuzzy Cappiello
 8th Dorothy Mallette, Alice Lynch, Marsha Meyer, Jim McAllister
 9th Gretchen Meyer, Julie Lecker
 10th Don Weis, Kathy Clark
 11th Gretchen Meyer
 12th Tom Dornisch
 13th Carleen Koch, Alice Wiesner

If you would like to be a part of the "31 Day" Vocation Calendar, please call the Parish Office at 834-7861 #1.

IT'S KEUCHEL MAKING TIME~ Would you like to have a fun day with other people to make Keuchel's for the up coming Keuchel sale, just call Sue Dornisch at 814-834-6550. Any amount of time would be greatly appreciated.



PARISH COUNCIL MEETING ~Feb., 15, 2022 at 6:00 p.m. Sacred Heart Parish Center.

CATHOLIC SERVICES APPEAL (CSA) Update

Parish Assessment\$49,004
of Pledges 179
Amount Pledged\$45,476
Received as of 1/28/2022\$44,971

ECCSS 2022-23 Registration Dates

St. Marys Catholic Elementary School

Preschool-5th Grade

Registration Night: 2/9/22 / 6:00 p.m. -7 p.m.

Contact: 814-834-4169 or slayd@eccss.org

Elk County Catholic High School/

St. Marys Catholic Middle School

6th-12th grade (Transfer students and new families

to ECCHS/SMCMS) Contact: 814-834-7800 or

schneiderj@eccss.org

St. Leo Catholic School Preschool-8th Grade

Registration: 2/7/22 / 5:30 p.m. - 7:30 p.m.

St. Leo Church Social Hall Contact: 814-772-9775 or kucenskil@eccss.org



9TH ANNUAL MEN'S CONFERENCE

Feb., 12, 2022 Time 8:30 a.m. – 12:00 noon

2232 MEN live the passage from Luke 22:32 —

"But I have prayed for you that your faith may not fail. And when you have turned back,

strengthen your brothers". 2232 MEN has a mission to

bring all men to Jesus Christ and to show how our God

and Father loves us and how He wants to be that founda-

tion we need in our lives. This year's speakers are

Bear Woznick and Father Anthony Baetzold, CFR,

Master of Ceremonies: Fr. Larry Richards, Mass with

Bishop Lawrence Persico

Location: At St. Jude the Apostle Parish,

2801 West 6th Street in Erie, PA, you can view the

broadcast at the following parish: **St. Mary's Parish**

in St. Mary's. To register go to [https://](https://www.2232men.com)

www.2232men.com



7th Annual 138 Women's Conference.

The conference will be held from

8:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m. on **March 12, 2022.**

You may attend live at St. Jude Parish in

Erie, PA, or you can view the broadcast at the following

parish: **St. Mary's Parish Center** (325 Church St).

Cost is \$20. **Register online <https://www.138women.com>**

SPECIAL ENVELOPES FOR FEBRUARY

Feb., 20 Support of School Children

AREA NEWS

ADORATION AT QUEEN of the WORLD

every **Thursday** following the **7:00 AM Mass.**

Closing: Evening prayer & Benediction: 5:00 p.m.



THE MATERNITY CLOSET~ OPEN

the 1st three weeks on Wednesdays &

Thursdays of each month. Babies and

children up to 3rd birthdays in need are

welcome. **Wednesdays 2:00 to 3:30 p.m. &**

Thursdays 1:00 to 2:30 p.m.



COMMEMORATIVE CONVENT BRICKS

Are available at the Benedictine Gift Shop while supplies last. We are currently cleaning a new batch of bricks that will be available in the next couple weeks. If the Gift Shop runs out of bricks, put your name on a waitlist and we will call you when the bricks are available again.

Gift Shop Hours: Tues-Fri 9:30 a.m.-5:00 p.m., Sat 10:00 A.M.-1:00 P.M.

Closed Sunday & Monday, & Holy Days

Proceeds benefit the Benedictine Gift Shop



RELIGIOUS ITEM RUMMAGE SALE

We will be having another "Religious Item Rummage Sale" in the Parish Center Cafeteria on **Saturday, March 5th 9:00 a.m. till Noon.**

If you are cleaning out your closets/attic/garage and you find religious items that are still in good condition that you would like to donate, bring them to the St. Mary's Parish Office and we'll try to find them a home. The "Rummage Sale will be donation only, benefitting the Benedictine Gift Shop.

We just want to find good homes for the items.

Call the parish office, 781-1019, with any questions.



WEDNESDAY SUPPERS TO BENEFIT

PARISH YOUTH~ Saint Boniface is teaming up with Just Ben Catering to offer Wednesday Suppers in February and March to benefit our youth programs. Dinners are \$12. Eat in or take out.

4pm till 6pm or sold out. **Call 814-885-8941 to**

pre-order a take-out for a specific time.

Wed., Feb., 9: Stuffed Chicken Breast

Dinner, mashed potatoes, cheesy corn and dinner roll.



Wed., Feb., 23: Lasagna

Dinner with side salad, winter blend vegetable, breadstick.

DATES TO REMEMBER

Mondays Praying the Rosary in Church **6:00 p.m.**

Wednesdays Rosary in Church **6:00 p.m.**

Fridays Rosary in Church **1:00 p.m.**

Feb., 8 Elk County Right for Life Meeting **6:30 p.m.**

Feb., 10 Social Committee Pre-Order

"Simply Soup & Sandwich Sale" **2:00 to 5:30 p.m.**

Feb., 15 Parish Council Meeting **6:00 p.m.**

St. Marys Inter-Parish



All classes are held at the St. Mary's Church Parish Center (Former Catholic Middle School), 325 Church Street, unless otherwise noted.

Sun., Feb. 6 First Grade Sacred Heart Session 10:45 a.m. – noon at Sacred Heart Parish Center Atrium
Confirmation class 1:00 p.m. – 2:00 p.m.
Middle School (Grade 6- 8) and **Life Teen** (grade 9 – 10) Online assignment.
 Please check your Google Classroom

Wed., Feb. 9 Elementary Faith Formation (grade 1-5) 6:00 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.

Sun., Feb. 13 First Grade Sacred Heart Session 10:45 a.m. – noon at Sacred Heart Parish Center Atrium
Confirmation – No class
Middle School (Grade 6- 8) and **Life Teen** (grade 9 – 10) – No Class

Wed., Feb. 16 Elementary Faith Formation (grade 1-5) 6:00 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.

****Confirmation Students and their Sponsors:**
Mark your calendars. Confirmation is May 1, 2022 at 1:00 p.m. at Queen of the World Church.**



“FORMED” “Catholic Netflix” Access your **FREE** subscription to FORMED.ORG so you and your family can enjoy great movies, audio presentations, eBooks, Bible studies and more. Here's how easy it is to get started:

1. Go to FORMED.ORG
2. First time users, click on “Sign In”
3. Click “I belong to a Parish”
4. Type in St. Marys Inter Parish Faith F
5. Create an account with your name/email
6. Returning users, login at top right with your email
7. You're in! Start Watching, listening and reading.



Fox Township Dental Center
 176 Skyline Drive, Kersey, PA
 814-245-2200

WWW.KEYSTONERURALHEALTH.COM



Fox Township Medical Center
 174 Skyline Drive, Kersey, PA.
 814-245-2004

WWW.KEYSTONERURALHEALTH.COM



REFLECT

First Reading:

Isaiah eagerly volunteered himself to serve the Lord after seeing God's holy presence. How open are you to responding to God's call in your life?

Second Reading:

Paul reminds the Corinthians of the gospel (“good news”) tradition he received and taught about Jesus' resurrection appearances.

What do you tell others about your faith in Christ?

Gospel:

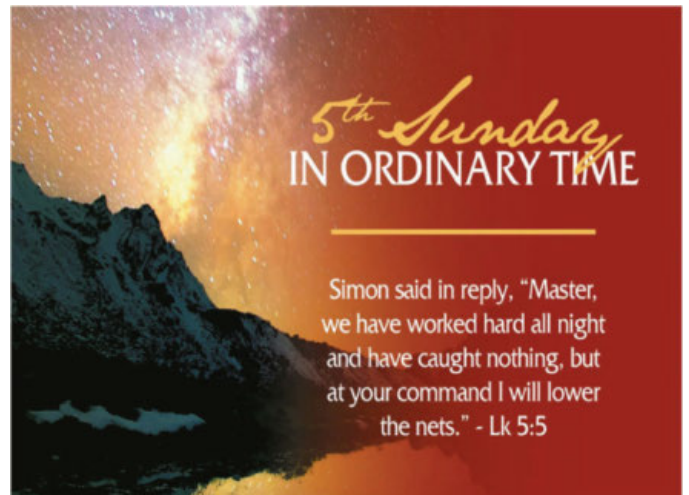
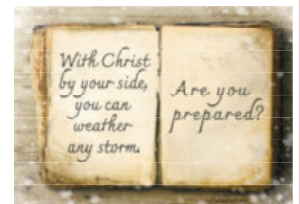
In Luke's account of the call of the first disciples, he focuses almost exclusively on Peter and his interactions with Jesus. What lessons are we to learn from Luke emphasizing Peter's humility and obedience to Jesus' call?

INSPIRATION FOR THE WEEK

When we encounter or even ponder God's magnificence, power, and awesomeness, we easily begin to feel our own smallness and perceived insignificance. After all, who can compete with eternal greatness, seraphim, or the ability to catch great numbers of fish? We unfortunately think that God's presence somehow overrides us, reduces our importance, and only seeks to judge our inadequacies and doubts. Things begin to change a bit when we realize that what we may have seen as overwhelming and frightening is really only unconditional, unmerited love. Love has tremendous majesty and power.

When we listen to this power and stop seeing it as threatening or dooming, our fear dissipates and Divine friendship takes root. Remaining close to what we once preferred at a distance, we can journey to places we never thought possible and do things we never thought we could do. Strengthened by Divine friendship and encouraged by its life-giving power, we can say “here I am, send me!” when God asks, “whom shall I send?” Sin and fear no longer are of concern to the one who remains close to God in a bond of trust.

©LPi



SACRED HEART SOCIAL COMMITTEE SIMPLY SOUP & SANDWICH SALE

Benefits: Sacred Heart Parish



PRE- ORDERS ONLY—LIMITED NUMBERS
Thursday, February 10, 2022

Soup Specials

Chicken Noodle Soup _____	\$6.00/Quart
Italian Wedding Soup _____	\$6.00/Quart
Cheesy Potato Soup _____	\$6.00/Quart

Sandwich Specials

Ham and Swiss on Rye Sandwich _____	\$6.00/Each
Chicken Salad on a Roll _____	\$4.00/Each



Pick up at the Parish Center Social Hall.
Thursday, February 10th from 2:00 p.m. to 5:30 p.m.
Orders will be accepted until 3:30 p.m. on Tuesday, February 8th
Please call 834-7861 #1 to place your order.
Thank You For Your Support!!

St. Marys, PA - PA 006647

DOLLINGER'S
Home Improvements, LLC

✓ Fully Insured
✓ Quality Work

- Kitchens • Baths
- Windows • Doors
- Custom Cabinetry

Dan Dollinger | (814) 245-8600 | dhdjd100@outlook.com

ADT-Monitored Home Security
Get 24-Hour Protection From a Name You Can Trust

- Burglary
- Fire Safety
- Flood Detection
- Carbon Monoxide

1-855-225-4251

Art Heary & Sons, Inc.
Home Furnishings,
Serta Mattresses,
Flooring Sales
and Installations

(814) 781-1715 • 125 Arch St., St. Marys
www.arthearyandsonsfurniture.com

**ST. MARYS
PAVING**
Co. Inc.

Commercial • Residential
Free Estimates • Fully Insured
781-1429 • Fax 834-7869
282 Belsole Rd., St. Marys

Dr. Daniel D. Jones
CHIROPRACTIC PHYSICIAN

ST MARYS CHIROPRACTIC CENTER
129 N. Michael St. • St. Marys, PA 15857
Phone: 814-834-3217 Hours By
Fax: 814-834-5179 Appointment

Fleming & Haines, Inc.
Plumbing, Heating and Air Conditioning
814-781-1918 • St Marys, Pa 15857
Free Estimates • Quality Doesn't Cost, It Pays

J & L Market & Garage
CONVENIENCE STORE
Full Service Auto,
Gas Pumps & Diesel
814-834-7744
1581 Bucktail Rd.
St. Mary, PA 15857

**DePrator's
Beverage Inc.**
225 Lawrence St. • St. Marys, PA
(814) 781-7135

R. DANA CRISP
REALTOR®
814.594.7762 Cell
814.375.1167 Bus

998 Beaver Drive
DuBois, PA
**COLDWELL BANKER
DEVELOPAC REALTY**
www.developac.com Each office is independently owned & operated

METCO
Industries, Inc.
QUALITY POWDER METAL PARTS
1241 Bruxelles Street, St. Marys, PA 15857
814-781-3630 | www.metcopm.com

**CAVALIER
ROOFING**
Proud to Support
Sacred Heart Church
Call us at 814-965-5876

J.M. DeLullo
STONE SALES
Limestone & Sandstone All Sizes
Coal • Softnut • Hardnut • Rice
Hardscape & Landscape Products
1247 Million Dollar Hwy., Kersey, PA
814-834-1914 • 888-834-1914

CEC Community Center
Your Center. Your Future. Your Community.

Through Partnerships we offer everything from
GED® to a Master's Degree

Academic
DISCOVER Partnership
Meeting Spaces
Leadership and Cameron
Personal Growth
Professional Development

For more information contact the CEC 814-781-3437 or go to our website: communitycenter.com

**Bucktail
Excavators, Inc.**
Site Development • Limestone
Demolition Contractor
Fax 834-7869
781-1429
282 Belsole Road • St Marys, PA

**SEAMLESS
GUTTERS**
Free Estimates • Fully Insured
Gutter Guards Available
www.cagutters.com

Carl Hanes • (814) 834-1123
Kersey, PA PA029106

FOX TOWNSHIP MANOR
108 Irishtown Road, Kersey, PA 15846

Affordable Senior Apartments
Independent living. All utilities included. Must be 62 or
older and have an annual income of less than \$23,450

Call (814) 885-6855

**SUPPORT OUR
ADVERTISERS!**

**SUBURBAN
BUILDING
CENTER**
.....
"We're gonna help you do it."
Johnsonburg Road • St. Marys
781-7576

FOX TOWNSHIP DENTAL CENTER
176 Skyline Drive, Kersey, PA 15846
814-245-2200
Dr. Susanne Maslo
ACCEPTING NEW PATIENTS
WWW.KEYSTONERURALHEALTH.COM

FOX TOWNSHIP MEDICAL CENTER
174 Skyline Drive, Kersey, PA 15846
814-245-2004
Lauren Shaver, PA-C
ACCEPTING NEW PATIENTS
WWW.KEYSTONERURALHEALTH.COM

ELK COUNTY COLLISION
Professional Collision Repair
"Do it Right or Do it Twice"
Free Computerized Estimates
809 S. Michael St Marys
834-1072

**SUPPORT YOUR
LOCAL PARISH.**
Buy a bulletin ad space today!

AVAILABLE FOR A LIMITED TIME!
ADVERTISE HERE NOW!

Contact **Lorne Searight** to place an ad today!
lsearight@4LPI.com or **(800) 477-4574 x6460**

Have Medicare?
Want to lower your prescription drug
co-pays/premiums or Part B premium?

Call APPRISE to see if you qualify for Extra
Help and/or Medicare Saving Program.
1-800-783-7067

**ROLLEY FAMILY
CHIROPRACTIC, PC**
Ronald J. Rolley, Jr., D.C.
Palmer Graduate
628 S. St. Marys Street, St. Marys
(814) 834-1045
www.rolleyfamilychiropractic.com
Family chiropractic care - Most insurances accepted

**REAL ESTATE
CLOSING**

NORTHERN TIER SETTLEMENT SERVICES, LLC
122 CENTER STREET • ST. MARYS, PA 15857
TELEPHONE: 814-834-1311 • FAX: 814-834-1116
EMAIL: NTSS@WINDSTREAM.NET
Your Convenience is Our Priority

**St. Marys
BEVERAGE**
781-1968

834-7721
KEYSTONE
Audiology & Hearing Aids Inc.
Your "KEY" to Better Hearing

Are you invested properly?
Get a second opinion.

Make your financial future a priority.

**FREE
AD DESIGN
WITH PURCHASE
OF THIS SPACE**

CALL 800.477.4574

WE'RE HIRING
AD SALES EXECUTIVES
BE YOURSELF. BRING YOUR PASSION. WORK WITH PURPOSE.

- Work-Life Balance
- Paid Training
- Full-Time with Benefits
- Some Travel
- Serve Your Community

Contact us at careers@4lpi.com
www.4lpi.com/careers

Bill Boylan
Financial Advisor
8 Franklin Center
St Marys, PA 15857
814-834-7510

Edward Jones
MAKING SENSE OF INVESTING
edwardjones.com

**ST. MARYS OLDEST AND BEST
WASTE COLLECTION COMPANY!**

Lowest Rates! Senior Discounts!

Advanced Disposal
800-338-8971
Service First. Safety Always.