

Sacred Heart Catholic Church

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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.

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Deacon..... Andrew "Andy" Froberg
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Youth Ministry.....814-781-1042

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.....814-834-7800

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Elementary.....814-834-4927
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Bulletin Deadline Monday – 10:00 a.m. – In Writing

Ministries & Committees

Finance Council..... Patty Brock
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RCIA..... Kathy Cheatle
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Music Director..... Lois Sadley
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Post-Abortion Counseling..... Rachelsvineyard.org
Youth Ministry Website..... sminterparishff.com
Boy Scout Troop 95 (smtroop95.com)..... Lad Kornacki
Cub Scout Pack 95..... Cheryl Cuneo

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

First Friday Week:

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

Anytime by Appointment

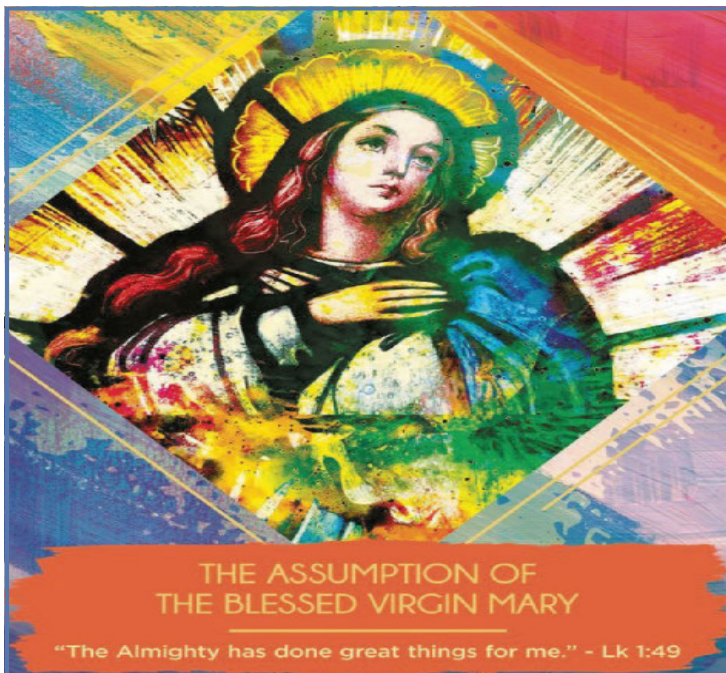
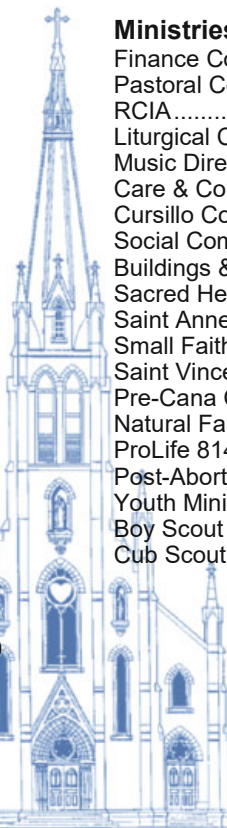
Mass Schedule

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



The Assumption: A Sign of Hope

Is the resurrection a concept or reality? For many of us, the resurrection of the dead may be a stray idea recited in the Nicene Creed. Heaven we discuss.

But resurrection? The feast of the Assumption is a reminder to us that heaven gets even better! We pray that the souls of the faithful departed would soon be united to God in heaven. The truth is, the separation between our souls and our bodies was not God's original plan for things. It's one of the results of the Fall, of original sin. At the end of time and Jesus' second coming, our bodies and souls will be reunited.

Lest we forget, Mary's Assumption is the reminder.

Today, we celebrate that Mary is enjoying what we, too, hope to participate in — complete joy in heaven with our God, experienced body and soul. Today and every day, let's pray for those who have died and that we may meet them again in the heavenly kingdom.

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August 13(S): Vigil of Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time
 4:00 p.m. † Jim Klaiber (An.)
August 14: Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time
 7:00 a.m. † Gerald W. Vargas (An.)
 9:00 a.m. † Lance Froberg (An.)
 11:00 a.m. For Sacred Heart Parishioners
August 15(M): The Assumption of the Virgin Mary
 6:15 a.m. L/D of Ambrose & Mary Bauer Family
August 16(T): Twentieth Week in Ordinary Time
 6:15 a.m. †† Barb (An.) & Clarence Friedl
August 17(W): Twentieth Week in Ordinary Time
 6:15 a.m. †† Anna Mae & Margaret Mulcahy
August 18(Th): Twentieth Week in Ordinary Time
 6:15 a.m. † Antoinette Celin (An.)
August 19(F): Twentieth Week in Ordinary Time
 6:15 a.m. † Margaret Evers
August 20(S): Vigil of Twenty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time
 4:00 p.m. †† Walter & Jane Vollmer
August 21: Twenty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time
 7:00 a.m. † William A. "Bill" Bauer (An.)
 9:00 a.m. For Sacred Heart Parishioners
 11:00 a.m. †††† Celine & Earl (An.) Feldbauer and Rose & Mack Newell



The week of August 14, 2022 the Angel Lamps in the Sanctuary burn for the following intentions:
L/D of Supon & Vargas Family
†† Anna Mae & Margaret Mulcahy

A FAMILY PERSPECTIVE

Today Jesus warns us his Word will create conflict between parents and children. In a permissive society which advocates individualism and consumerism, parents must continue to teach and live the gospel values of respect, service to others, forgiveness, generosity and compassion. A Christian family is a countercultural family.



BAPTISMAL PREPARATION CLASSES

<u>Change in Date</u>	<u>Time:</u>	<u>Place:</u>
August 22, 2022	6:30 p.m.	St. Mark Emporium O'Connell Hall 814-486-0569

WORD OF LIFE!!

"[God] has lifted up the lowly and filled the hungry with good things. (Luke 1:52-53) Mary identifies with the lowly and hungry even as she accepts her role as being the mother of Jesus. Sometimes our deficiencies can show the power of God working in us. How does your beloved lift you up when you feel low?

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. 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, Miranda J. Halpin, "Puggie" Iorfida, Beula Kestler, Anita Kosmowski, John Murone, Darlene Nappe, Tom Nellis Jr., Tammy Pearsall, Asher Quinn, Kathleen (Daisy) Rowley, William "Bill" Schatz, Dave Schneider, Matthew Sharrow, Ellen Taylor, Steve Wendel, Mary Jo Wheeler, and 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. The names of those listed on this prayer chain will not be published in the bulletin. If you want a name to be listed in the bulletin, please call the Parish Office.

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.**

CONGRATULATIONS TO

Robert "Bob" and Constance "Connie" Miller

on their celebration of 50 Years of Marriage.

May Our Lord Jesus Christ continue to bless you with love, health and happiness.

Happy Anniversary
50
Years together

"Understand what you do, imitate what you celebrate, and conform your life to the mystery of the Lord's cross."

-Ordination Rite of Priests-

"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.
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| 15th | Frank Fodge, Delores Frey |
| 16th | Jerry & Ann Brennen |
| 17th | Kathy Cheatle, Sue Lynch, Dave Shaffer |
| 18th | Julie Handwerger, Barb Linder, Bonnie Housler |
| 19th | Mary Ross, Nancy Plows |
| 20th | Gretchen Meyer, Mary Jo Scott |
| 21st | Carl Loeffler, Barb Linder |

CHICKEN BBQ

SMASD Marching Band Boosters TODAY
Sunday, August 14th, 11am till sold out

South St. Marys Elementary School Parking Lot

\$12 (1/2 chicken, pasta salad, baked beans, dinner roll, cookies)



SAINT ANNE SOCIETY ~ will meet on **Monday August 15, 2022** at the Sacred Heart Parish Center Social Hall. Group #8 will be providing the lunch and will be served at Noon. Information contact Helene (814) 594-0439.



is currently accepting applications for the 2022-23

school year for the following positions:

- High School Chemistry Teacher- FT
- High School Latin Teacher - PT
- Elementary-Middle School P.E. Teacher - FT (Part - Time P.E. Applicants will be considered)
- Elementary School Custodial Worker

Interested applicants forward a resume, transcripts, letters of reference, and all applicable clearances to:

ECCHS/SMCMS

Attn: John Schneider, Principal
600 Maurus Street ~ Saint Marys, PA. 15857
schneiderj@eccss.org

St. Marys Catholic Elementary School
Attn: Debbie Slay, Principal
114 Queens Road ~ Saint Marys, PA. 15857
slayd@eccss.org



ELK & CAMERON COUNTY CURSILLO

We are planning a Elk Cameron County Cursillo picnic for **August 20** at the St. Marys Firemen's training grounds. Anyone interested in being on the picnic committee please send us an email, elkcameroncursillo@gmail.com.

We are asking everyone to stop into their local parish and take a minute to pray for the future of Cursillo in Elk Cameron County.

SPECIAL ENVELOPES FOR AUGUST

Aug., 15 Assumption of Mary Offering
Aug., 21 Support of Our School Children
Aug., 28 Latin America

DATES TO REMEMBER

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

Wed's Rosary Walk "Poor Souls" at the Sister's Cemetery **6:00 p.m.**

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

NO PARISH COUNCIL in AUGUST

UPCOMING Sept., 15 Social Committee Drive Thru Oven Fried Chicken Dinner with all the trimmings

AREA NEWS

ECC Music Boosters Mum Sale!

\$12 each – 9inch pot - Buy ticket now and pickup at Morning Glory Greenhouse Sept 1-21st Must present ticket at time of pickup! Tickets at ECCHS or call/text Cathy 512-0818



ADORATION AT QUEEN of the WORLD every **Thursday** following the **7:00 AM Mass**. Evening prayer and **Benediction: 5:00 PM.**



THE BENEDICTINE GIFT SHOP ~ Stop in and take a look at all our New Items! 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. **The Gift Shop is always looking for volunteers, just call the Parish Office at 814-781-1019. You can be tithing in time.**



THE MATERNITY CLOSET~ OPEN

the 1st three weeks on Wednesdays & Thursdays of each month. Babies and children up to 3 years. **Wed's 2:00 to 3:30 p.m. & Thurs's 1:00 to 2:30 p.m.**

The Maternity Closet is still looking for a cabinet. Contact Mary Bea at 814-834-3834



RELIGIOUS AND PRO LIFE LENDING LIBRARY~

The library, located on the main floor, front room of the Sacred Heart Parish Center, is open to all in the community. **Hours are the same as parish office hours, 9 am to 4 pm.**



GUARDIAN ANGEL~

BACK-TO- SCHOOL DAYS

Tuesday's, August 16, & August 23

from 10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Last registration is at 3:30 p.m. Open to children grades K-12. School clothes, shoes, and more. 364 Main St. Kersey PA. Phone 814-885-6192 ~ [facebook.com/gacenter95](https://www.facebook.com/gacenter95)



MERRY WIDOWS~ will be meeting at Sacred Heart Parish Center, **Sept., 12** with a picnic indoors. Lunch will be served at Noon ~ Cost is \$10.00.



RELIGIOUS ITEM RUMMAGE SALE ~

St. Marys Parish is having another Religious Item Rummage Sale, date TBD. If you have any items that you don't have a use for but still have lots of life yet, please bring them to the **St. Mary's Parish Office weekdays between 8:30 a.m. and 4:00 p.m.** We can also arrange for pick up if you can't get them here. ***Proceeds will benefit the Benedictine Gift Shop.***



St. Marys Inter-Parish



Registration is **NOW** open for Faith Formation at
sminterparishff.com
Faith Formation Orientation Nights

Elementary Level Grades 1 - 5 Orientation

Wednesday, Sept. 7, 2022

6:00 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.

**St. Mary's Church Parish Center Café.
325 Church St. St. Mary's
(Former Catholic Middle School)**

At least One parent and student **must** attend
First day of class will be **Wed. Sept. 14 at 6:00 - 7:30 p.m.**
St. Mary's Church Parish Center

Middle School Grades 6 - 8 Orientation

Sunday, Sept. 11, 2022

6:00 p.m. - 7:45 p.m.

**St. Mary's Church Parish Center Café
325 Church St. St. Mary's
(Former Catholic Middle School)**

At least One parent and student **must** attend
First class for Middle School level and Life Teen
will be **Sunday, Sept. 25 at 6:00 - 7:45 p.m.**
St. Mary's Church Parish Center cafe,
(Please note the time change for dismissal.)

Life Teen and Confirmation Orientation

Grades 9th, 10th and 11th

Sunday, Sept. 11, 2022

4:30 p.m. – 5:30 p.m.

**St. Mary's Church Parish Center Café.
325 Church St. (Former Catholic Middle School)**

At least One parent and student **must** attend

**First Class at St. Mary's Church Parish Center Café.
325 Church St for Life Teen on**

Sunday, Sept. 25 at 6:00p.m. – 7:45 p.m. and

First Class for Confirmation will be on

Sunday, Sept. 25 at 4:00pm – 5:00pm

**student and sponsor or one (1) parent must attend
first Confirmation class.**

**If you have any questions call at (814) 781-1042 or
email sminterparishff@gmail.com**

**21ST ANNUAL SACRED HEART
GOLF OUTING**

Sunday - August 21, 2022

Bavarian Hills Golf Course



**Shotgun
Start Time
1:00 P.M.**

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814-834-3602 #1 or
814-389-6650**

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Miller at
814-781-7920**

RCIA News

Do you want to learn more about the Catholic Church, her teachings and traditions? Why do we honor Mary? What is the Communion of Saints? Is Eucharist really Jesus Christ? Does God hear our prayers? Why do we go to "Confession"?

The RCIA looks at these and many other issues in the Catholic Church. Come and join us as we journey toward a closer relationship with God through Catholicism. Meetings will begin soon. If you wish to join us, or just check out what we are offering, call Kathy Cheatle at 781-3009, or the Parish Office at 834-7861, Option 1.



CONGRATULATIONS ~ On Saturday, July 30, 2022 the seminarians traveled to St. Joseph's Church in Warren, PA where Bishop Persico celebrated Mass and seminarian, Luke Daghir, received his candidacy. Please continue to keep Luke and all of the seminarians in your prayers.



Thank You



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SACRED HEART RAFFLE DRAWING 8/3/2022 CONGRATULATIONS

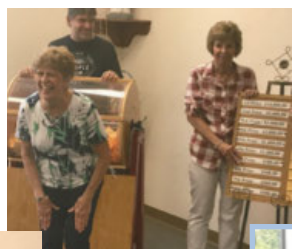
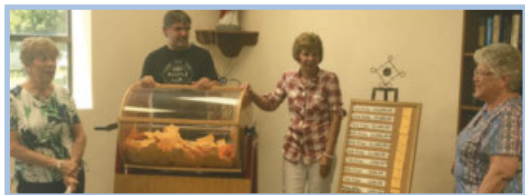
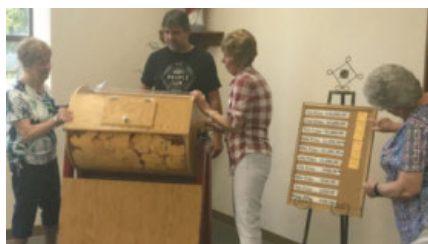
TO ALL OF THE WINNERS:

\$10,000	Ed Richards
\$5,000	Jess Auman
\$2,000	Lizzy dela Rosa
\$1,000	Mavrick Krishart
\$1,000	Josh Auman
\$1,000	Beverlye Lenze
\$500	Bonnie Meyer
\$500	Linda Gerg
\$500	Jeff Yeager
\$500	Alice Wiesner

BIG THANK YOU ~ To Amy Brunner for being with us to live stream the raffle, to all the **BIG SELLERS**, to the volunteers that drew the winning tickets, Deacon Bill, Deacon Andy, Helene Burdick, Carleen Koch, Rose Johnston, Cathy Schneider, Gwen Hoffman, Kathy Cheatle, Mary Ann Mello and to Father Michael (who just happened to pop in). Big thank you to Jeanne Gerber for all of her hard work, to everyone that helped make phone calls, last but not least the Parish Staff, Pat, Kathy & Dave for all of their help. I couldn't have done the raffle without **ALL OF YOU**.

Patsy McAllister, Raffle Chairperson

PS: Fr. Tom you were missed.



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