

St. Rita Catholic Church
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Mass Schedule Saturday: 4:30PM Sunday: 8:30 & 11:00AM
Weekday: 9:00AM Vigil of the Holy Day 6:30PM(except for 12/31 4:30PM) Holy Days 9:00AM & 6:30PM
Confessions: Saturday 3:00 to 4:00PM and Tuesday Morning After Mass



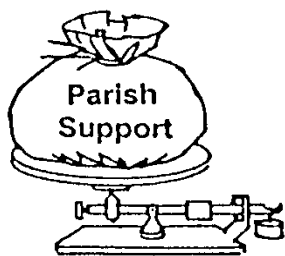
Masses For The Week

Saturday	4/20	9:00am	†Jean Wiley
		4:30pm	Ints. of Gordon & Mary Ann Shuman
Sunday	4/21	8:30am	†Richard Harold
		11:00am	People of the Parish
Monday	4/22	9:00am	†Thomas Matese Sr.
Tuesday	4/23	9:00am	Ints. of A. Foscatto
Wednesday	4/24	9:00am	†Don Sprankle
Thursday	4/25	9:00am	Ints. of the O'Toole Family
Friday	4/26	9:00am	†Donna Adamczak
Saturday	4/27	9:00am	Ints. of A. Foscatto
		4:30pm	†Edward Schwerdt
Sunday	4/28	8:30am	People of the Parish
		11:00am	†Yvonne Narad



PRAY for those who are Sick. Help us keep our list current by letting us know when we may remove a name.

Sharon Aanensen, Tom Miller, Avery, Craig & Diane Cruttenden, Carol Schorn, Joy Brown, Irene & Bernard Zaborowski, John Powlen, Gordon & Mary Ann Shuman, Mike Bunch, Daryl Crunkleton, Mary & Ed Digiulio, Monica Dembrowski, Phyllis Grabowski, Rick & Paulette Nidel, Fr. Mike, Anita Bell, Margy Orner, Anthony Venzin, Rose Crespo, Richard Storm, Chad Sprankle, Fred Sprankle, Janice Keller, Angelo Agosta, Philip Ulzheimer, Larry Weikert, Blaine Beatty, Michele Maturo Piper, Pat Devlin, Teresa Rodgers, Joan Deyo, Donald Weikert, Mary Jo & Melvin Losovsky, Ok Cha Jones, Mary Conway, Dorothy Drechsler, Mary Little, Tracy Bozzonetti, Darlene McCleaf, Lottie Pecher, Melissa & John Gilliland, Bill Devlin, Ron & Doreen Harris, Robert Lewis, Betty Roy, Rich Zula Jr, Shannon Boyle, Connie Keller, Frank Berry, Beau & Pamela Beatty, John & Sandy Soffe, Marilyn Crawford, Bill Martino, Elaine & Mark MacLellan, Lynn Moody, Charlotte Folkenroth, Dave Gallo, Brenda & Dave Pine, Francis Poslosky, Brandon Sites, Pete Crawford, Karen Ford, Lilah Zepp, Ian Skoch, Johnny Parkolay, Christine & Horst Stehmer, Gene Rosensteel, Paul & Clara Macuirles, Fiona Hefe, Adalyn Clark, Miriam Barefoot, Harriet Noye, Nick, Melvan Welsh, Pat & Danielle Barb, Joyce Speelman, Steve Weiblinger, Stephanie Resetar, Tina, Jordan & Justin Hankey, John Leibold, Carol Wiegand, Jason Hoffman and Lucy Romano.



Sunday Collection: \$1,938.25

Change of Address: If you are moving or have a change in your name, address or phone number, or need to register, please contact the Parish Office at 642-8815.

Bulletin Announcements must be submitted to the parish office 10 days before the bulletin date.

The Sacrament of Baptism: Please call the parish office to schedule.

The Sacrament of Marriage: is celebrated throughout the year. Diocesan policy requires that engaged couples begin sacramental preparations with a priest at least nine to twelve months before the desired wedding date. Please call the parish office for details at 717-642-8815.

DATE	EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS	LECTORS	ALTAR SERVERS	MONEY COUNTERS
4/27 4:30pm	A. Sanders/M. White	T. LaFrance	Volunteers	4/28 J. Kenney 5/5 K. Bilder 5/12 F. Ganoe 5/19 M. Crawford 5/26 M. Lawrence
4/28 8:30am	E. Luttrell/D. Fawks	M. Luttrell	Volunteers	
4/28 11:00am	L. Crawford/M. Brennan	J. Orlando	Volunteers	

St. Rita's Women's Society is hosting our first CASH BINGO, **Sunday, April 28th** at the Knights of Columbus Hall, 42 W. 2nd Street, Waynesboro, Pa. Doors open at 11:30, Bingo starts at 1:00. Games of chance, door prizes and concessions available. Advance reservations \$35; call Alice 240-310-3646 or email Peggy-Jvandercruyssen@msn.com Tickets at the door \$40. We will also have sign up sheets in the back of the church.

Hersheypark Discount Ticket Offer Discounted tickets to Hersheypark are available to the friends and families of the parish for significant savings. Gate admission for Regular is \$87.80; our price \$43.95 for ages 3+ and up valid until 1/1/25. Orders must be received at the parish by **Tuesday, April 26, 2024**. Parishes will receive tickets on or before the week of May 20th. Please contact Joan Ritter at 717-642-8834 with any questions.

Sunday Eucharistic Prayer Group, St. Mary's in Fairfield 2:15-3:45PM April 21st Music & Eucharistic Adoration, Marian Remarks, Devotion & Consecration, Rosary & Divine Mercy Chaplet, Spiritual Communion & Healing Prayers!

Second Collection next is for the Catholic Home Missions. Thank you for your generosity.

Forty Hours at St Mark & St. Luke Parish, 395 S. Ridge Ave., Greencastle on Sunday, April 21st to Tuesday April 23rd. Homilist, Most Rev. Ronald W. Gainer. Evening Prayer and Homily each evening at 7PM. Adoration on Sunday, Monday & Tuesday after the 9AM Mass until 7PM.

Parish Pastoral Council Meeting There will be a meeting Thursday, May 2nd, at 7PM in the parish hall at 7:00PM. All members please attend.

Eucharistic Adoration at St. Mary's is now on Wednesdays from 9am-8pm, and on Fridays from 9am-3pm. We are in need of adorers for the following hours: Wednesdays 10am, 2pm; and on Fridays 10am, 11am. We are in need of people who are willing to sub on Wednesdays and Fridays any hours. Please contact Donna Butt 240 529 2470 if you can take an hour or sub.

Please Mark Your Calendar's May 18, May 23, and June 1st the Masses at St. Rita's will be at **8AM** in the morning instead of 9AM. Thank you.

Diocese Annual Campaign (DAC) Nourished by Faith If you haven't given yet please do so. There are extra envelopes at the entrance to the Church. We are 1/2 way towards our goal of \$23,662.00. *All contributions exceeding our goal come back to the parish.* If you have any questions please call the parish office or send us an email. Thank you to all who have given so far.

Will you consider sponsoring Altar flowers in honor or memory of a loved one or special occasion. The dates available for 2024 are May 19, 26, June 2, 9, July 7, 21, 28, August 11, 25, Sept 1, 8, 29, and more there are more. Cost for the 2 altar vases is \$50 - Donation may be placed in an envelope marked flowers with your intention and preferred date. Please call the parish office or email maryrita256@comcast.net to confirm date.

St. Rita's Book Club: All Adults are welcome! Our next book club meeting will be **Tuesday, May 14th @ 10am or 7pm.** (You pick the time that works best for you!) We will be discussing the book, *A Father who Keeps His Promises* by **Scott Hahn**. If you have any questions or need a copy of the book, please email dianerobertson77@yahoo.com

Legion Of Mary: We will pray the Legion rosary every Sunday morning, starting April 21st, at **St. Mary's** at 7:30am prior to Mass. All are welcome to join in. Contact Bryce Miller with any questions at 717-640-1971.

JOHN ITELL K OF C SCHOLARSHIP – Waynesboro Knights of Columbus Council 2068 will be offering a \$2,000 scholarship to a deserving 2024 high school graduate who is a member of a local Parish. Applications are available in the Parish office or web site standrewwbo.org/kofc2068. The deadline for return of applications is **May 27, 2024**. For more information contact Fred Eisenhart at (717)762-7482 or frede39@comcast.net

Eucharistic Moments for April: Imagine you could participate in Mass one more time before meeting God for the Final Judgment. How would you prepare? What would you wear? What intentions would you bring to that Mass? Who would you pray for knowing you wouldn't see them again in this lifetime? ... From now on, each time you go to Mass, participate as if it were your first Mass, your last Mass, your only Mass.



Pro-Life Corner For all whose hearts ache from participating in abortion: may they be strengthened to seek the Lord's compassion, mercy, and healing in the Sacrament of Reconciliation.