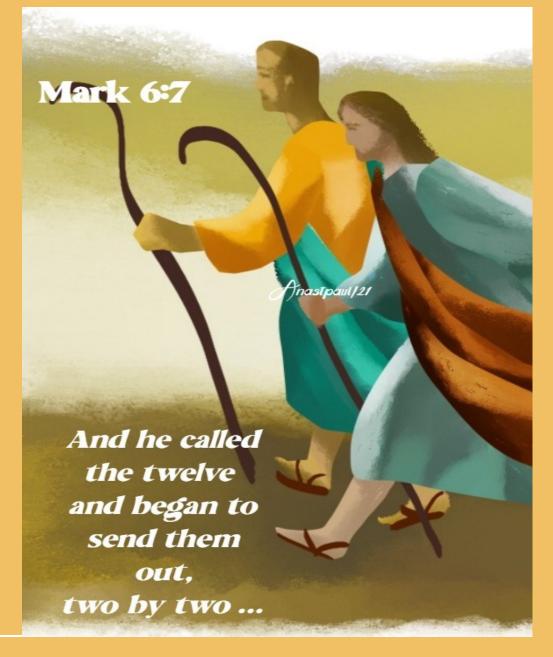
Saint Lawrence-Saint Thilip Catholic Church

Rev. Thomas Trocchio - Pastor Deacon Faul McCoy - Deacon Assistant



Sunday, July 21, 2024 Sixteenth Sunday In Ordinary Time

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> Parish Maintenance Jim Mitchell

Parish Center/Rental Information Renae Mihalak 814-756-4840 -- Please Leave a Message.

> St. James Cemetery Manager - Greg Petrus

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# \*Mass Schedule\*

#### Weekend Masses

Saturday Vigil @ 5:00 pm at St. Lawrence Sunday @ 8:00 am at St. Philip Sunday @ 10:00 am at St. Lawrence

#### Weekday Masses

All at St. Lawrence Tuesday & Wednesday - 8:00am Thursday & Friday - 12:00pm No Mass on Monday

> Holy Hour Tuesday - 6:00pm St. Lawrence Church

#### **First Friday**

Adoration 4:00 pm to 5:00 pm Mass @5:15 pm at St. Lawrence

#### **Reconciliation**

Saturday @ 4:15pm to 4:45pm at St. Lawrence Sunday @ 7:30am at St. Philip



# Mass Intentions For The Week

Monday, July 22, 2024 Saint Mary Magdalene \*No Mass\*

<u>Tuesday, July 23, 2024</u> <u>Weekday</u> 8:00 AM *<sup>+</sup>* All Souls

<u>Wednesday, July 24, 2024</u> <u>Weekday</u> 8:00 AM ♀ *Gerald & Anne Proudfoot* In Memory Of Their Wedding Anniversary (Estate)

Thursday, July 25, 2024Saint James, Apostle12:00 PM ♀ Charles & Paula Shafer(St. Lawrence-St. Philip Parish )

#### Friday, July 26, 2024

 Saints Joachim and Anne,

 Parents Of The Blessed Virgin Mary

 12:00 PM ⊕ Jack Meeker

 ( St. Lawrence-St. Philip Parish )

<u>Saturday, July 27, 2024</u> <u>Sunday Vigil Mass</u> <u>Weekday</u>

5:00 PM 🕆 For The Living & Deceased Members Of St. Lawrence And St. Philip Church

> Sunday, July 28, 2024 Seventeenth Sunday In Ordinary Time

8:00 AM 🕆 For The Living & Deceased Members Of St. Lawrence And St. Philip Church

10:00 AM For The Living Family Members Of Charlene Jones ( Charlene Jones )

The Rosary of the Most Blessed Virgin Mary, is prayed every Saturday at St. Lawrence Church, beginning at 4:30, just before the 5:00 Mass.

~Mary invites all her children to pray Her Rosary~



July 21, 2024



## Saints Joachim and Anne's Story

This week on July 26<sup>th</sup>, the Church celebrates Saints Joachim and Anne.

Here is what Franciscan Media Saint of the Day writes about Joachim and Anne.

In the Scriptures, Matthew and Luke furnish a legal family history of Jesus, tracing ancestry to show that Jesus is the culmination of great promises. Not only is his mother's family neglected, we also know nothing factual about them except that they existed. Even the names "Joachim" and "Anne" come from a legendary source written more than a century after Jesus died.

The heroism and holiness of these people however, is inferred from the whole family atmosphere around Mary in the Scriptures. Whether we rely on the legends about Mary's childhood or make guesses from the information in the Bible, we see in her a fulfillment of many generations of prayerful persons, herself steeped in the religious traditions of her people.

The strong character of Mary in making decisions, her continuous practice of prayer, her devotion to the laws of her faith, her steadiness at moments of crisis, and her devotion to her relatives—all indicate a close-knit, loving family that looked forward to the next generation even while retaining the best of the past.

Joachim and Anne—whether these are their real names or not—represent that entire quiet series of generations who faithfully perform their duties, practice their faith, and establish an atmosphere for the coming of the Messiah, but remain obscure.

This is the "feast of grandparents." It reminds grandparents of their responsibility to establish a tone for generations to come: They must make the traditions live and offer them as a promise to little children. But the feast has a message for the younger generation as well. It reminds the young that older people's greater perspective, depth of experience, and appreciation of life's profound rhythms are all part of a wisdom not to be taken lightly or ignored.

Saints Joachim and Anne are the Patron Saints of: Grandparents

**Saint Anne is the Patron Saint of:** Mothers Women in Labor

Hail Mary, full of grace, the Lord is with thee; blessed art thou among women and blessed is the fruit of thy womb, Jesus. Holy Mary, Mother of God, pray for us sinners, now and at the hour of our death. Amen

Deacon Paul



#### **Sacrament of Matrimony**

Parishioners are requested to contact the pastor at least six months in advance to begin preparation. Participation is required in Pre-Cana or Engagement Encounter.

#### Sacrament of Baptism

By appointment. Please call the Parish Office for more information. Pre-Baptismal instruction is required.

#### **Sponsor Certificates**

Letters of recommendation issued only to confirmed parishioners (age 16+) in good standing, who attend Mass regularly and support the parish with time, treasure or talent.

#### Sick Calls

Visits are made per parishioner request. Please notify the office of any hospitalizations, injuries, or illnesses. Homebound visits and communion are at

|                  | St. Lawrence-St. Philip Church | Please Check One     |
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|                  | Membership Form                | New                  |
| Name             |                                | Address Change       |
| Address<br>Phone | E-Mail                         | Moving out of Parish |

# **Parish Information**

### ~Parish Picnic/Feast Day Celebration~

Sunday, August 11th is the Feast Day of Saint Lawrence, so it is the perfect day to have our Parish Picnic and celebrate together! The picnic will be held at St. Lawrence Church following the 10am Mass.

This event cannot happen without volunteers to help organize, set up and clean up, and purchase items needed. We also need grills for cooking Please call the Parish Office at 756-3623 if you are Interested in volunteering.



### We Need You!

We are looking for people to volunteer to lector for all Masses at St. Lawrence and St. Philip Churches. Training will be available for you. Please call the Parish Office or let Fr. Tom or Deacon Paul know if you are interested.

# LECTORS

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Saturday, July 20 – 5:00 pm – Patricia Thompson Sunday, July 21 – 10:00 am – Criss Rotko

Saturday, July 27 - 5:00 pm - Marge Mayer Sunday, July 28 - 10:00 am - Carl Pry

Saturday, Aug 3 - 5:00 pm - Patricia Thompson Sunday, Aug 4 - 10:00 am - Criss Rotko

Saturday, Aug 10 - 5:00 pm - Marge Mayer Sunday, Aug 11 - 10:00 am - Carl Pry

~\*Thank Uou\*~

#### ~New Daily Mass Schedule~

Tuesday & Wednesday 8:00 am Thursday & Friday Noon

No Mass on Mondays

Holy Hour will resume on Tuesdays at 6pm



#### Please Keep The Following People In Your Prayers

-Judy Diehl--Jim Bernoski--Marilyn Madden--Tom Lascek--Jon Reibel--Mike Sawin--Andrew Segal--Bill Pavolko--Janet Lance--Judy Graham--Max Stephen--Phyllis Tobin--Bob Pacansky--Anthony--Darlene Skadhauge--Kathy (Hudacky) Oswald--Chelsey Belden--Lorrie Kalicky -Intentions In Our Prayer Box--Our Homebound Parishioners-

To Add A Prayer Request, Please Contact Norma Jafko at 756-3889.

# **Happenings Around The Church & Community**

The 128<sup>th</sup> annual Frenchtown Ham or Chicken Dinner will be held on Sunday, July 28 at St. Hippolyte Parish, Guys Mills. Dinner is served from 12:30 until 4:30 pm (or until sold out). The menu includes half a barbecued chicken or a generous portion of ham accompanied by mashed potatoes and gravy, green beans, coleslaw, applesauce, rolls and butter, beverage and dessert.

The cost of the dinner is \$15 for adults, \$14 for senior citizens (age 60+) and \$10 for children 6-12. The dinner is free for those five and younger when you dine in only.

An outdoor eating area and take-out meals are also available. There will be festival games, including a bingo tent, gift auction, quilt/afghan raffle, 50/50 raffles, country store and the grand prize drawing of \$2,000. St. Hippolyte Parish is located on Route 27, just seven miles east of Meadville. The GPS address is 26012 North Frenchtown Road, Guys Mills, PA.

## This Week At St. Lawrence-St. Philip Church

| Monday, July 22    | *Bingo - 6:30 pm<br>Doors Open At 5:30 pm<br>St. Lawrence Parish Center |  |
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|                    | *AA Meeting - 8 pm<br>St. Lawrence Parish Center                        |  |
| Tuesday, July 23   | *Holy Hour - 6 pm<br>St. Lawrence Church                                |  |
| Wednesday, July 24 | *AA Meeting - 8 pm<br>St. Lawrence Parish Center                        |  |

## Come Play Bingo!!

Every Monday at The St. Lawrence Parish Center Doors/Concessions Open at 5:30 Games Begin at 6:30 This Week's Jackpot is \$1,050.00 in 53 Balls or Less.

> Join In On The Fun!! Help Is Always Needed!



# **Financial Information**

#### Just a Reminder

All money brought in from collection envelopes, gifts, donations, and special collections, are deposited into one shared account under the name, "St. Lawrence Church". CSA payments are all deposited into one shared account as well, under the same name. For this reason, please remember to make all checks out to "St. Lawrence Church".

~Thank You

Sacrificial Giving For The Weekend Of July 13 & 14 \$ 2,194.00 Weekly Budget Goal \$ 3,750.00



### ~The 2024 Catholic Services Appeal~

Our Diocesan Assessment - \$28,881.00 Amount Paid To Date - \$16,158.41

Current Registered Households - 148 Household Pledges To Date - 45 Amount Pledged - \$18,068.41