

The Epiphany Of The Lord



Readings for the Week

Mon: John 3:22-4:6;
 Gospel: Matthew 4:12-17,23-25
 Tues: John 4:7-10; Gospel: Mark 6:34-44
 Wed: John 4:11-18; Gospel: Mark 6:45-52
 Thurs: John 4:19-5:4; Gospel: Luke 4:14-22
 Fri: John 5:5-13; Gospel: Luke 5:12-16
 Sat: John 5:14-21; Gospel: John 3:22-30
 Sun: Isaiah 42:1-4,6-7;
 Acts of the Apostles 10:34-38
 Gospel: Matthew 3:13-17

Masses and Events:

Sun. 1/4 The Epiphany of the Lord

8:00am Mass @ St. Luke
 10:45am Mass @ St. Joseph



Mon. 1/5

9:00am Daily Mass

Tues. 1/6

9:00am Daily Mass

12:00pm Staff Meeting

4pm-5pm Saint Joseph Soup Kitchen take out meals

Wed. 1/7

9:00am School Mass

1:30pm Rosary & Communion @ Warren Manor

2:00pm Mass @ Rouse Home

Thurs. 1/8

9:00am Daily Mass

9:30am Breakfast Bunch @ Bob Evans

6:00pm Care & Concern Meeting @ St. Joseph

Fri. 1/9

9:00am Daily Mass

Sat. 1/10

4:30pm Confession @ Saint Joseph

5:30pm Mass @ St. Joseph

Pizza Night After Mass

Sun. 1/11 The Baptism of the Lord

8:00am Mass @ St. Luke

9:15am FF @ HR Edge K-7, Crew 8th- 9th Grade
 9th Grade Service Video Due

9:20am 3rd Grade Parents attend Eat This Bread @ HR

10:45am Mass @ St. Joseph



Helping Hands:

Thank you for your continued support of our Helping Hands ministry through your "outreach to the needy envelopes". Last year because of your generosity we were able to assist 16 people with temporary shelter, 9 people with rent, two people with beds, and two people with their utility bills. Your kindness is appreciated!



**This Week the Sanctuary Candles
 Are In Memory of:**
Carol Groner
by Husband



January 4th-January 10th, 2026

Mass Intentions

*Weekend mass intentions, family/friends can bring gifts up to the altar during mass: please let an usher know prior to mass

Sun. 1/4 The Epiphany of the Lord

(St. Luke) The People of St. Luke & St. Joseph

(St. Joseph) Steve Hoden by Linda & Dan



Mon. 1/5 Saint John Neumann

Anita Trasatti by Kathy & Tony Ferraro

Tues. 1/6 Christmas Weekday

Dominick Fiem by Karen

Wed. 1/7 Christmas Weekday

Laura Chew by Saint Joseph Church & School

(Rouse) Adam Ogle by Fran Bauer

Thurs. 1/8 Christmas Weekday

Minnie Menard by Jim & Vilma

Fri. 1/9 Christmas Weekday

Leon & Virginia Spink by Family



Sat. 1/10 Christmas Weekday

Jeff Wilson by Stephanie

Sun. 1/11 The Baptism of the Lord

(St. Luke) Carol Flynn by Sue & Tanya

(St. Joseph) The People of St. Luke & St. Joseph

LIVING OUT CHRISTMAS IN THE NEW YEAR

How do we live out the message of Christmas in the New Year, rather than pack it away with the ornaments?

Each year, the Octave Day of Christmas falls on the first day of the New Year, on which we also celebrate the Solemnity of the Blessed Virgin Mary, the Mother of God.

Her open heart and courageous "yes" to God show us how to live year-round—with hearts open to the Lord, following where He leads. We are called to place our trust in Him, to enter compassionately into the suffering of others, and to love one another as Christ loves us. Like Our Blessed Mother welcomed Jesus, we are called to cherish and protect the gift of human life, at every stage and in every circumstance.

One way to live out the message of Christmas and follow Our Lady's example is to join 9 Days for Life, a novena for the protection of human life, taking place Tuesday, January 16 - Wednesday, January 24.

Each day's intention is accompanied by a short reflection and suggested actions to help build a culture of life. Join today at 9daysforlife.com!

St. Joseph Parish Weekly Offering Dec 28th

Saint Joseph Church Weekly Offering-\$6698

Saint Luke Church Weekly Offering-\$720

Thank You for Your Generous Gifts



Saint Joseph Catholic Church - 600 Pennsylvania Avenue West - Warren, PA 16365

Saint Luke Catholic Church - 420 North Main Street - Youngsville, PA 16371

Liturgical Ministers

Saturday Jan. 10th 5:30PM

Lector-Traci Abplanalp

EMHC- Joe & Sara Sienkiewicz, Patty Lobdell
Altar Servers- Ruth Abplanalp & Ruth Sienkiewicz
Greeters- Arlene Molinaro, Patty Lobdell

Music- Fran/Georgi

Sunday Jan. 11th 8:00AM (St. Luke)

Lector- Sue Uhron

EMHC- Sandi Mineweaser

Ushers- Doug & Diana Sandberg

Sunday Jan. 11th 10:45AM

Lector- Pam Nasman

EMHC-Bob & Barb Crowley, Patty Osche

Altar Servers- Noah & Regan Caldwell

Greeters-Linsey McGraw, Diana Stanley

Music- Choir

D.O.G. (Disciples of God)- Denise



Walking with Purpose

Will resume on Wednesday, January 14th at 6:00 pm at Holy Redeemer.

We will continue our journey through the Bible, unpacking the incredible women whose faith in God transformed our world. If you would like to join us in this new year, please contact Barb McAvoy at mbmcavoy81@gmail.com.



Today's gospel tells us that

"all Jerusalem" was upset because

"King Herod was deeply troubled."

Similarly, in families, one person's negative attitude can ripple through and affect everyone.

If you desire a peaceful and joyful home, it must begin with you. Embrace peace and joy, and let it spread to those around you.



Mother's Chapel Floor Renovation

As noted in earlier, our CSA project this year is restoring the Mother's Chapel floor. This will begin January 5.

Please be aware that daily Mass will be in the main church beginning January 5 until completion of the flooring.

Thank you!

Still planning your 2026 wedding?

Make time for a weekend that will stay with you long after the big day. Engagement Encounter offers couples a chance to reflect, connect, and prepare for a lifelong marriage.

When: February 6-8, 2026

Where: St. Mark Catholic Center, Erie

A few openings remain—don't wait! This retreat fulfills diocesan marriage prep requirements and welcomes

Catholic and interfaith couples.

Call the Family Life Office at 814-824-1261 or email:

familylife@erieRCD.org.

Register and learn more at eriercd.org/familylifeoffice
"A wedding is one day, but marriage is for a lifetime."

Child Protection and Creating Safe Environments

January is Human Trafficking Prevention Month. In 2024, the National Center for Missing & Exploited Children received over 27,800 reports of possible child sex trafficking. The average age of child sex trafficking victims is 15 years old.

Child sex trafficking is child abuse. It occurs when a minor is advertised, solicited, or exploited through a commercial sex act—where sex is exchanged for money, food, shelter, drugs, or anything of value. Traffickers can be family members (even parents), friends, gangs, foster parents, trusted adults or boyfriends. Talk openly with your child about this reality and build resiliency. Address myths that glamorize the commercial sex industry. Warn about online risks: social media and gaming platforms are used by traffickers to target, groom, and recruit victims.

Prepare your child: at some point they will likely encounter inappropriate messages or harmful content online. Teach them how to respond safely.

Report suspected child sex trafficking by calling 1-800-843-5678 or visit CyberTipline.org.

For additional resources visit www.eriecd.org/childprotection/



Movie Matinee

Join Jennifer on Monday, January 12th at 2:00 pm at Holy Redeemer for SILENCE. This Oscar nominated Martin Scorsese film is one of his greatest. Christian missionaries (Adam Driver and Andrew Garfield) travel to Japan in search of their missing mentor (Liam Neeson) at a time when Christianity was outlawed. They are captured and imprisoned, and their faith is tested, their sanity challenged and their lives risked in this passionate, harrowing and beautiful masterpiece. This film is unforgettable.

It is rated R due to violent content.

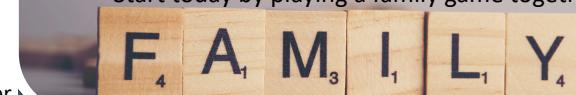
Popcorn and drinks served. Bring a friend!



Parenting Pointers

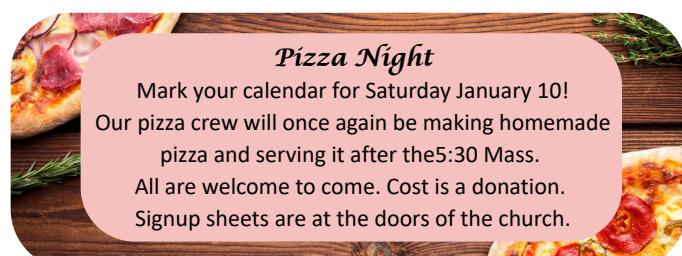
Consider doing something pro-active for the new year like starting the tradition of having a Family Night once a week.

Start today by playing a family game together.



Altar Rosary Christmas Dinner

The Altar Rosary will be having their Christmas dinner on January 16th at 6pm at The Factory in Youngsville, PA
Please RSVP by January 9th to Lisa Marino 814-230-5630



Pizza Night

Mark your calendar for Saturday January 10!
Our pizza crew will once again be making homemade pizza and serving it after the 5:30 Mass.
All are welcome to come. Cost is a donation.
Signup sheets are at the doors of the church.

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New Year