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Catholic Parishes of Eastern Clearfield County

Announcements

- Faith Formation classes at St. Agnes Parish Center will be held Sunday, September 27 at 9:30 a.m.
- Donuts and Coffee will be available after the 9:30 a.m. Mass at Christ the King, Sunday, Sept. 27. Everyone is welcome.
- OCIA Class will be held at 10:30 a.m., Sunday, Sept. 20 at Christ the King.
- Millions of Monicas will be held at 12 p.m. on Wednesdays. Learn more on page 7.
- The Altar Rosary Society will meet at 2 p.m. at Immaculate Conception Church.
- Bible Study will be held at 6 p.m., Thursday, September 17 at Christ the King.
- Beginning Oct. 1 the precious blood at Christ the King will only be available during the 9:30 a.m. Sunday Mass. See More page 6.
- The K of C Our Lady of the Valley Council will have a BBQ Dinner on Sunday Oct. 4 from 10 a.m. until 1 p.m. at Christ the King Parish. Advanced ticket sales only. To purchase a ticket see a Kof C member. There will also be a bake sale held by the Catholic Daughters of America Our Lady of the Valley Council. See More page 6.

Catholic Parishes of Eastern Clearfield County Office Information

123 Good Street, Houtzdale PA 16651

(814) 378-7653

office@cpoecc.org



Veterans Honored

Veterans were honored during the Patriot Day Festival. Quilts of Valor, made by the Moshannon Valley Quilters, presented 3 veterans with quilts to thank them for their service.

Pictured (L-R) Dennis Francisco, Jessica Slifko & Timothy Slifko.

Saturday:

St. Basil the Great

Confessions: 3 p.m.

Mass: 4 p.m.

Christ the King

Confessions: 4:30 p.m.

Mass: 5:30 p.m.

Weekend Mass Schedule

*Please see each Parish's page
for Daily Mass Schedule

Sunday:

St. Basil the Great

Mass: 8:00 a.m.

Christ the King

Mass: 9:30 a.m.

St. Agnes

Mass: 11 a.m.

Confessions: After Mass

Baptisms: Call rectory for appointment.

Marriages: Contact the office at least 6 months prior to anticipated date.

Anointing: Call (814) 378-7653 if you have a desire for yourself or a loved one to receive the sacrament. If it is an emergency call the number and press 1.

Administrative Office

Rev. Johnathan Schmolt, Pastor; Rev. Cory Pius, Parochial Vicar, Deacon Eugene J. Miller, Deacon Dennis Socash; Rev. Joseph Staszewski, Retired; Rev. Stephen Collins & Rev. Zab Amar, Retired Residents

Hours

Monday - Friday

9 am. - 2 p.m.

Phone: (814) 378-7653

Email: office@cpoecc.org

Website: cpoecc.org

Facebook: facebook.com/cpoecc1

PRAYERS REQUESTED

Please pray for the following. Names will be removed after 3 months. Please call to have them re-added if needed.

Pat Koshko, Cecilia Demchak, Anonymous, Sheri (Murawski) Gehringer, Kelly Dale Pentz, Jerry DuFour, Evan Snyder, Tom Glinsky, Leo Holtz & Devon London, Clara Tubo, Joann Bezilla, Marie O'Donnell, Daniel Zelensky, Jeff Weld & Sally Bishop; Active Military Personnel: Private Hunter Kephart and Scott Seprish.

Homebound?

If you or a loved one are homebound, but wish to receive Communion and keep up with church news by receiving a mailed bulletin please call the rectory during business hours. Father Johnathan will add you to his list.

Bulletin Announcements

Please submit all bulletin announcements at least **two** weeks prior to the anticipated date. Please submit announcements to j.seltzer@cpoecc.org.

Mass Intentions

Monday, September 28

5:30 p.m. • Barb Pierce by Kathy & Lisa (IC)

Tuesday, September 29

8:30 a.m. • Bill Reilly by Val, Dana, Jen & Families (BA)

Wednesday, September 30

8:30 a.m. • Marie Shedlock by the Sacred Heart of Jesus Society Branch 7 of the First Catholic Slovak Union (CTK)

5:30 p.m. • Joseph Veneziano, Sr. by Rod & Helene Eminhizer (MA)

Thursday, October 1

8:30 a.m. • Luke Francisco by Mom & Dad (BA)

Friday, October 2

8:30 a.m. • Jack Sahlaney by Carol & Jerry Hrzic (CTK)

12 p.m. • No Mass (AG)

Saturday, October 3

4 p.m. • People of the Parish by the Pastor (BA)

5:30 p.m. • Larry Dugan by Cousins, Vaune, Charlie & Tama (CTK)

Sunday, October 4

8 a.m. • John & Marion Leon by their daughters (BA)

9:30 a.m. • Deceased members of the John & Pauline Frank Family by Family (CTK)

11 a.m. • Donald Smith by Mr. & Mrs. Alfred Harvey (AG)

Parenting Pointers

May has Mother's Day and June has Father's Day.

Did you know that the 4th Monday in September (Sept. 28 this year) is Family Day? Relax, there are no gifts to buy or cards to send, simply eat dinner with your family on this day. Maybe you do this regularly anyway. Good. If not, try to do it more often. Some families have each person share a high and a low of the day during dinner.



Upcoming Events

Sunday, September 27

9:30 a.m. • Faith Formation (AG)

10:00 a.m. • Donuts & Coffee (CTK)

10:30 a.m. • OCIA (CTK)

Wednesday, September 30

12 p.m. • Millions of Monicas (CTK)

Thursday, October 1

2 p.m. • Altar Rosary Meeting (IC)

6 p.m. • Bible Study (CTK)

Sunday, October 4

9:30 a.m. • Faith Formation (AG)

10 a.m. - 1 p.m. • K of C BBQ and CDA Bake Sale (CTK)

10:30 a.m. • OCIA (CTK)

4 p.m. • Faith Formation (CTK)

Saturday, October 10

12 p.m. • Rosary Rally (CTK)

Tuesday, October 13

• No Mass (BA)

Saturday, October 17

• 21 Club Dinner (CTK)

Church Name Key

Christ the King (CTK)

Holy Trinity (HT)

Immaculate

Conception (IC)

Saint Agnes (AG)

Saint Basil (BA)

Ss. Peter & Paul, Hawk Run (PPH)

Saint Mary of the

Assumption (MA)

Saint Severin (SEV)

Ss. Peter & Paul,

Grassflat (PPG)

MASS PARKING

When attending Mass at Christ the King Church please be mindful not to block the driveway to the Victory Baptist Church on Grace Street. Their service is at a similar time. There is parking available in the Christ the King church parking lot.



Sanctuary Lamp

The Sanctuary Lamp burns for Rosemary Kasubick by her husband John. (BA)



St. Agnes Parish

Stewardship

Week of Sept. 13, 2026

Sunday & Holy Days

Actual	\$3,129
Actual Total Fiscal YTD.....	\$39,879
Budgeted Fiscal YTD.....	\$46,002
Percentage Over (Under).....	(-13.31%)
Envelope Count	80
Weekly Budgeted Offortory.....	----

Catholic Services Appeal

Actual	\$45
Actual Total YTD.....	\$25,601
Parish Goal.....	\$42,812
Percentage Over (Under).....	(-40.20%)
Total Pledges.....	66
Total Pledged.....	\$27,991

Please make checks payable to St. Agnes Parish.

St. Agnes BINGO

The 1st & 3rd Tuesday
of the month in the St.
Agnes Social Center.

Doors open at

4:30 p.m.

Early Bird Bingo
begins at 6:15 p.m.

Regular Games at 6:30
p.m.

Join us!



JJ Powells church payback program

Do you use heating oil? When you order mention your church and you may be eligible to have JJ Powell donate 2 cents a gallon to your church.



Marianna Hoagie Delivery

The Saint Agnes Rosary Society's Marianna's Hoagie and Pizza sale delivery date is September 30 at 10:15 at the Parish Center. Your orders are appreciated.

The St. Agnes

Rosary
Society

will

pray the

all Sundays in October
beginning at 10:30 a.m.

All are welcome.



ATTENTION:

**Please do not send or drop off mail
at the St. Agnes Church rectory.
There is no staff there. All mail/
donations should be sent to:**

Christ the King Parish

123 Good Street

Houtzdale, PA 16651

**Donations will be allocated to the
parish requested.**

Mass Times

St. Agnes Church

65 Deer Creek Road
Morrisdale, PA 16858

Sunday: 11 a.m. Friday: 12 p.m.
**The 5th Monday & Wednesday of
the Month at 5:30 p.m.**
**Confessions following Sunday
Mass.**

St. Mary of the Assumption Church

64 St. Mary's Lane
Frenchville, PA 16836

**1st & 3rd Wednesday of
the month at 5:30 p.m.**

St. Severin Church

6768 Kylertown-
Drifting Hwy
Drifting, PA 16858

**2nd & 4th Wednesday
of the month at 5:30
p.m.**

Ss. Peter & Paul Church

120 Sixth St.
Hawk Run, PA 16840
No regular Masses

Ss. Peter & Paul Church

130 Indiana St. Grassflat,
PA 16839
No regular Masses

St. Basil Parish



Stewardship Week of Sept. 13, 2026 Sunday & Holy Days

Actual	\$3,453
Actual Total Fiscal YTD.....	\$36,910
Budgeted Fiscal YTD.....	-----
Percentage Over (Under).....	-----
Envelope Count	143
Weekly Budgeted Offertory.....	-----

Catholic Services Appeal

Actual	\$15
Actual Total YTD.....	\$31,076
Parish Goal.....	\$29,631
Percentage Over (Under).....	4.88%
Total Pledges.....	110
Total Pledged.....	\$31,916.02

Please make checks payable to St. Basil the Great Parish.

This Week on Formed

St. Therese | Littlest Saints

Which flower in Jesus's garden is the best? The most beautiful? St. Therese gives us her "little" answer to these questions.

St. Jerome | Catholic Saints

An early Church Father from the 4th century, St. Jerome translated the Bible into Latin with the desire to make Scripture more accessible. St. Jerome is the patron of biblical scholars, translators, and archivists and famously said, "Ignorance of Scripture is ignorance of Christ."

Who Are the Archangels?

Dr. Ben Akers and Dr. Elizabeth Klein discuss archangels and what role they have in our lives.

St. Basil the Great Parish parishioners can access their free subscription at formed.org/signup

K of C Meeting

The St. Basil the Great K of C Council #10649 meets the first Wednesday of every month at 6:30 p.m. in the St. Basil Parish Hall. The Rosary is prayed prior to each meeting in the church and all parishioners are invited to participate.

ATTENTION:

Please do not send or drop off mail at the St. Basil Church rectory. There is no staff there. All mail/donations should be sent to:

Christ the King Parish
123 Good Street
Houtzdale, PA 16651

Donations will be allocated to the parish requested.

St. Basil the Great Parish Octoberfest

Saturday, Oct. 31, 2026 after 4 p.m.
Mass in the Church Hall.

MENU

Roasted Pork, Sauerkraut, Mashed Potatoes,
Green Beans, Rolls, our Famous Applesauce
& Homemade Desserts.

\$10 per family, \$7 per couple and \$5 for single people

Reservations can be made after
Masses on Oct. 17, 18, 24 and 25 or by
calling Marsha (814) 931-1837 or
Karen (814) 672-3092

FESTIVAL RAFFLE

Parishioners will soon receive a book of 25 tickets. Please sell for \$1 a ticket or purchase the booklet yourself. If you would like more than 1 book of tickets please call Karen at (814) 672-3092 or Marsha at (814) 931-1837.

\$500 -First Prize (\$50 to Seller)
\$250 - Second Prize
\$100 - Third Prize

Please place sold tickets & money in an envelope & drop them into the collection basket. **NO LATER THAN Oct. 24, 2026.**

NO TICKETS WILL BE ADDED TO THE
DRAWING THE NIGHT OF THE PARTY.jjj

Don't miss this fun and rewarding event.

Mass Times

St. Basil the Great Church

183 Locust St.
Coalport, PA 16627

Saturday: 4:00 p.m.
Sunday: 8:00 a.m.
Tuesday: 8:30 a.m.
Thursday: 8:30 a.m.

Holy Trinity Church

52 Parish St Ramey,
PA 16671

1st Monday of the
month: 5:30 p.m.
3rd Monday of the
Month: 5:30 p.m.

Catholic Parishes of Eastern Clearfield County



Christ the King Parish

Catholic Parishes of Eastern Clearfield County

Stewardship

Week of Sept. 13, 2026
Sunday & Holy Days

Actual	\$4,849
Actual Total Fiscal YTD.....	\$53,358
Budgeted Fiscal YTD.....	-----
Percentage Over (Under).....	-----
Envelope Count	148
Weekly Budgeted Offertory.....	-----

Catholic Services Appeal

Actual	\$270
Actual Total YTD.....	\$46,605
Parish Goal.....	\$72,000
Percentage Over (Under).....	(-36.27%)
Total Pledges.....	130
Total Pledged.....	\$49,902

Please make checks payable to Christ the King Parish

21 Club Winners - Week #20

Mike Zakutney (Elaine Murawski).....	\$100
Ron Colton (Elaine Murawski).....	\$50
Mike Foreman (Toni Lee Debross).....	\$25
Need a Ticket? Call the parish office. (814) 378-7653	

NOTICE

Beginning Oct. 1, 2026 the Eucharist in both forms will only be provided at the 9:30 a.m. Mass. This is due to the low number of people receiving the Precious Blood at the 5:30 p.m. Saturday Mass.



Sunday,
Sept. 27
after 9:30
a.m. Mass

Donuts
&
Coffee

In the
Parish
Center



Mass Times

Christ the King Church

123 Good St.
Houtzdale, PA 16651
Sunday: 9:30 a.m.
Wednesday: 8:30 a.m.
Friday: 8:30 a.m.
Saturday: 5:30 p.m.

Immaculate Conception Church

408 Stone St.
Osceola Mills, PA 16666
2nd Monday of the Month: 5:30 p.m.
4th Monday of the Month: 5:30 p.m.

Fall Bazaar

Immaculate Conception Church
408 Stone St., Osceola Mills

Sunday, Nov. 1 from 10:30 a.m. - 2 p.m.

Roast Beef Dinner \$15

(meals 11 a.m. - sold out)

Includes: Roast Beef, Mashed Potatoes,
Gravy, Wedding Cabbage, Vegetable,
Roll & Homemade Pie!

Eat in or Take out

Quilt Raffle- Basket Raffle

Homemade Nut Roll \$12



CHRIST THE KING APPAREL SALE!

Half Price!

HOODED
SWEATSHIRTS

\$20

SHORT
SLEEVE
T-SHIRTS

\$10

XL and Large Sizes Available. Call
the Parish Office to get a shirt.
(814) 378-7653.

Bible Study is Back!

6-7 p.m. (CTK) Thursdays



The Book of John will be discussed.

BBQ Dinner & Bake Sale

The Knights of Columbus Our Lady of the Valley Council will be having a BBQ dinner on Sunday, October 4th from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. at Christ the King Parish. The meal includes scalloped potatoes, baked beans, apple sauce, and roll. The rib dinner is \$18 and the chicken dinner is \$15. Advanced ticket sales only. Please see a member of the Knights of Columbus to purchase a ticket. The Catholic Daughters Court St. Victoria will be having a Bake Sale during the dinner.



THANK YOU!

Thank you to everyone who supported last weekend's Catholic Education Collection. If you were unable to give, there is still time to help sustain faith formation and educational ministries in our parish diocese. Use the Catholic Education Collection envelope or at www.eriecd.org/cec.html. Thank you for your support.

WINNER!

The winner of the gift card and craft from Monday's event was Joe Shedlock.

Rosary Rally at Christ the King



**Pray for
Our Nation!**

We will pray for our great nation,
asking God to save America through
the rosary of His Most Holy Mother.

**Meet in front of the church.
Bring lawn chairs.
Rain or shine**



Saturday, October 10 at Noon

Seminary Discernment Weekend

Any college-age young man, 18-years-old or older, who is interested in learning more about the seminary, priesthood, or discernment is invited to attend a Seminary Discernment Weekend. The retreat is Oct. 24-25 at St. Mark Seminary, 429 E. Grandview Blvd, Erie. There is no cost to attend. However, those interested must contact Fr. Scott Jabo, Vocation Director, at 814-824-1198 or by email at SWJabo@eriecd.org. More information can be found at www.erievocations.org.

Mary's Hands Ministry

Thank you to everyone who reached out to help with Mary's Hands Ministry. This ministry is open to anyone who would like to do some of the simple things that will make someone else's day better. If you feel called to join or just want more information about Mary's Hands Ministry, please contact Mary Jo Turner 814-577-5541.

K of C 4th Degree

The K of C 4th Degree meet the 4th Wednesday of each month at 6:30 p.m. at the Christ the King Parish Center.



Walk with Mary through the Light and Darkness

Villa Maria Education & Spirituality Center in Villa Maria, PA will sponsor a Walking with Mary through the Light and Darkness of Our Daily Life with Melannie Svoboda, SND from Oct. 9 - Oct. 11, 2026.

For more information on this program, go to: <https://vmesc.org/programs-retreats/all-events?id=1080>

Millions of Monicas

Like St. Monica, we pray for our children in need of God's mercy and a return to the practices of their Catholic Faith. A new Millions of Monicas prayer group is meeting at Christ the King. We meet on Wednesdays from 12 noon to 1 PM in the church.

Women are invited to gather for one hour of guided prayer, which always includes a Rosary. All women are welcome. Many who come are mothers, grandmothers, aunts, and confirmation sponsors, following the example of St. Monica in her perseverance in prayer. This is not a support group, and no sensitive information is shared.

Bethany Retreat Center

We are all searching. We want God to hear us, our cry for help, for understanding of our circumstance, our search for happiness. "Lord, hear my prayer," we speak in the silence of our hearts. "Come to me," Jesus says (Matthew 11:28).



Monica Nachman
Facilitator



Mary Retreat

Monday, October 5, 2026

9 am - 3 pm / \$25 includes Lunch

1031 Germania Road, Frenchville, PA

814-780-8101 / anawimministries.com