

Resurrection
Roman Catholic Parish

April 6, 2025

Saint Clare of Assisi
Catholic Church



The 5th Sunday of Lent

Rev. George M. Gulash,
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MaryBeth Konieczny, Parish Secretary

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Resurrection Parish Mass Schedule: Sunday 8:00 AM & 10:30 AM; Tuesday, Wednesday & Friday 8:00 AM; Holy Days & Holidays as announced.

Confessions: Saturday 2:30 PM - 3:00 PM

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Rose Eckenrod, Parish Secretary, Financial Secretary

St. Clare of Assisi Mass Schedule: Saturday 4:00 PM; Monday 6:30 PM; Holy Days & Holidays as announced.

Confessions: Saturday 3:30 - 4:00 PM

Christine Babik, Director of Religious Education for both Parishes

Emily Roy, Director of Music for both Parishes

Dan Amrhein, Director of Maintenance for both Parishes

WEEKLY MASS SCHEDULE			
DATE	TIME	MASS/SERVICE	SITE
Sunday, April 6 <i>5th Sunday of Lent</i>	8:00 AM	Robert and Mary Fatula By Daughters', and Families	Resurrection Church
	10:30 AM	Wedding Anniversary Remembrance of Benjamin Gribble By Wife, Carol	Resurrection Church
Monday, April 7 <i>St. John Baptist</i> <i>de la Salle</i>	12:00 PM	Rosary	Resurrection Oratory
	6:30 PM	Caroline L. Fetzko By Anonymous	St. Clare of Assisi
Tuesday, April 8	8:00 AM	Daniel A. Miller, Jr. By Mother, Sharon; Kyra and Illyanna Miller	Resurrection Church
Wednesday, April 9	8:00 AM	Rose Draksler By Daughter, Caroline	Resurrection Church
	12:00 PM	Lenten Holy Hour	Resurrection Church
Thursday, April 10	No Mass		
Friday, April 11 <i>St. Stanislaus</i>	8:00 AM	Richard Lucas By Wife, Olga and Children	Resurrection Church
	12:00 PM	Rosary	Resurrection Oratory
	6:30 PM	Stations of the Cross	St. Clare of Assisi
Saturday, April 12	4:00 PM	Robert Yurch By Mick and Connie Miller and Family	St. Clare of Assisi
Sunday, April 13 <i>Palm Sunday of the</i> <i>Passion of the Lord</i>	8:00 AM	Mary Ann Robatin By Daughters, Kathy Mock and Karen Robatin	Resurrection Church
	10:30 AM	William Neatrou, Sr. By Son, Bill	Resurrection Church

This week's St. Clare of Assisi Church Sanctuary Light will burn for:

Josephine "Feeenie" Midile By Rilla Manno

This week's Resurrection Church Sanctuary Light will burn for:

Charles Novosel By Family

This week's Resurrection Oratory Sanctuary Light will burn for:

Birthday Remembrance of Edward V. Zierer By Jeff and MaryBeth Konieczny and Family



Calendar of Events

Sunday, April 6 Religious Ed. Classes 9:00 to 10:15 AM Resurrection Parish Center/Oratory
 Summertime Special Tickets go on sale after morning Masses
 Book Discussion Group 6:00 PM The Sewing Room

Monday, April 7 thru Friday, April 11 Nut/Poppy Seed Roll and Bread Baking
 9:00 AM St. Clare School Hall

Tuesday, April 8 Lenten Faith Sharing Group 6:00 PM Resurrection Oratory

Thursday, April 10 Roll Order Pick-up 10:00 AM to 6:00 PM St. Clare School Hall
 Choir Rehearsal 6:30 PM Resurrection Church

Friday, April 11 Lenten Faith Sharing Group after 8:00 AM Mass Resurrection Church Hall
 Roll Order Pick-up 10:00 AM to 6:00 PM St. Clare School Hall

Saturday, April 12 Roll and Bread Order Pick-up 10:00 AM to 6:00 PM St. Clare School Hall

Sunday, April 13 Religious Ed. Classes 9:00 to 10:15 AM Resurrection Parish Center/Oratory

Monday, April 14 Church Cleaning 8:30 AM Resurrection Church

WEEKLY CONTRIBUTIONS: March 30, 2025

Resurrection Parish - Weekly Offertory Envelopes: Total: \$3,861.00

Ash Weds./Mandeville \$5.00	Catholic Relief Services \$339.00	Loose Offertory \$251.00
Black and Indian Mission \$20.00	Easter \$160.00	Poor Box \$57.00
Build. and Maint. \$30.00	Easter Flowers \$10.00	Rice Bowl \$50.00
Candles \$100.25	Good Friday/Holy Land \$35.00	Utilities \$55.00
Catholic Home Missions \$50.00	Holy Thursday \$25.00	Word Among Us \$1.00
TOTAL COLLECTION: \$5,049.25		

St. Clare of Assisi Parish Weekly Offertory Envelopes: \$1,420.00

Ash Weds./Mandeville \$10.00	Catholic Relief Services \$61.00	Good Friday/Holy Land \$30.00
Black and Indian Missions \$	Donation \$20.00	Holy Thursday \$30.00
Candles \$85.00	Easter \$145.00	Loose Offertory \$72.00
Catholic Home Missions \$5.00	Easter Flowers \$30.00	Second Collection \$235.00
TOTAL COLLECTION: \$2,143.00		

Parish News...

THANK YOU to everyone who donated to the Cambria County Clothing Boutique! There is now a donation box with the wishlist attached for Mom's House in the back of the church. Donations will be accepted until Easter Sunday, April 20. Thank you!

CONGRATULATIONS to the Resurrection Parish St. Patrick's Day Special Ticket winners from March 24 thru 31. Thank you for supporting Resurrection Parish!

3/24/25 #569 \$ 50.00 Dave/Denise Hamryszak	3/28/25 #014 \$ 50.00 Mary Lynch
3/25/25 #918 \$ 100.00 Joel/Linda McKeon	3/29/25 #794 \$ 50.00 Brian Miller
3/26/25 #350 \$ 50.00 Fred DiFlauro	3/30/25 #864 \$ 50.00 Ed Kobal
3/27/25 #501 \$ 100.00 Terry Gearhart	3/31/25 #412 \$ 50.00 John Falduto

SUMMERTIME SPECIAL TICKETS good for the month of June, will be sold at Masses on Sun., April 6. \$5.00 per ticket. **WE WILL NOT** sell them on Palm Sunday or Easter Sunday. If any remain they will be sold on April 27. Tickets will also be available at the Parish Office, Symon's Car Wash and Remmco Plumbing. Questions, call Chris at 814/535-1054.

HOLY WEEK COLORING BOOKS: Holy Week coloring pages are available in the back of both churches. Use them to make Holy Week more meaningful for children of all ages

THE BOOK DISCUSSION GROUP: We will meet on Sun., April 6 at 6:00 PM in the Sewing Room to discuss the books that we have read on the life of St. Joseph.

ST. CLARE OF ASSISI PARISH is in need of help on Mon., April 7 thru Sat., April 12 with prep work/baking and pick-up of the Nut and Poppy Seed Rolls/bread. Each day, beginning at 9:00 AM in the school hall. Any and all help would be most appreciated. **ORDER PICK-UP** is as follows: Nut/Poppy Seed Rolls pick-up, Thurs. thru Sat., April 10 thru 12 from 10:00 AM to 6:00 PM and Bread pick up: Sat., April 12 from 10:00 AM to 6:00 PM.

RESURRECTION PARISH COLLECTION COUNTERS: Group 3 volunteers are scheduled to count the collection on **Mon., April 7** at the Resurrection Parish Office.

ROSARY TIMES: Please join us for the Rosary at the Resurrection Oratory on Mondays and Fridays at 12:00 PM. We hope to see you. A schedule of Rosary Leaders is as follows:

Monday

Apr. 7 - George Pisula
Apr. 14 - Joan Cammarata
Apr. 21 - No Rosary - Easter Monday

Friday

Apr. 11 - Diane Ashbridge
Apr. 18 - No Rosary - Good Friday
Apr. 25 - Pat Barrett

WOMEN OF THE BIBLE: Our discussions about the remarkable women in the Bible and how they relate to us today continue on Thurs., April 10 at 6:00 PM in Resurrection's Oratory.

CHOIR REHEARSAL will be held on **Thurs., April 10 at 6:30 PM at Resurrection Church.** New members are always welcome!!

MARY'S WAY OF THE CROSS: We are asking for eighteen ladies to lead the Stations on Fri., April 11 at 6:30 PM at St. Clare of Assisi Church. A sign-up sheet is being circulated between the churches. Ladies from both parishes are encouraged to participate

EVENING PRAYER FOR PALM SUNDAY: As we begin to accompany Jesus in His suffering, death, and resurrection during Holy Week, come and join in praying Vespers with us. Evening Prayer will begin at 4:00 PM on Palm Sunday, April 13 at Resurrection Church.

RESURRECTION CHURCH CLEANING: Volunteers are needed as we will be doing cleaning at Resurrection Church on Mon., April 14 starting at 8:30 AM to get the church ready for the Tridium. Please note the change in day. Many hands make light work! Cleaning usually takes only about 1 – 1 ½ hours. Any help is greatly appreciated!

THE CHILDREN'S EASTER EGG HUNT will be held on Holy Saturday, April 19. Please register your children or grandchildren by April 15. Place completed registration form in the church collection basket. Volunteers, please be at the Oratory Hall by 11:30 AM.

RESURRECTION CHURCH PREP. SCHEDULE: We will be getting the Church ready for the Easter Season on Holy Thursday, Good Friday and Holy Saturday, April 17, 18, and 19, each day at 8:30 AM at Resurrection Church. All help would be most appreciated.

MOVIE NIGHT: Deacon Nelson will be hosting a "movie night" type program to watch TV series, **The Chosen**. It would run for 10 weeks (Season 1). It will take place on Tuesday evenings at 6:30 PM at the Oratory, starting on April 22 and ending July 1. (We will skip Tuesday, May 6 for the pilgrimage meeting.) Everyone is invited.

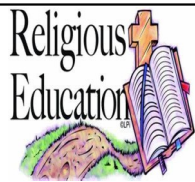
THE SEWING MINISTRY will meet on Wed., April 23, 9:30 AM in the Sewing Room (former Sweet Shoppe). Donations of yarn or material are greatly appreciated. There is a donations bin in the back of Resurrection Church.

SCRAP METAL COLLECTION: We will once again be collecting scrap metal (**NO ALUMINUM CANS PLEASE**). Donations can be dropped off by the 8th Ave. garages or pick up can be arranged by calling 814-539-5788, ext. 6 (Dan).

PILGRIMAGE TO FATIMA AND LOURDES: Deacon Nelson is excited to announce an upcoming meeting to gauge interest in organizing a pilgrimage to Fatima and Lourdes. The meeting will be held on Tues., May 6 at 6:30 PM in Resurrection Church Hall. This journey offers a unique opportunity for spiritual growth, reflection, and connection with fellow travelers as we visit these significant locations known for their miraculous stories and deep-rooted faith. During this meeting, we will discuss the potential itinerary, logistics, and approximate costs associated with the pilgrimage. Your input and enthusiasm are vital in shaping this trip, so please come prepared to share your thoughts and ideas.

CHILDREN'S EASTER EGG HUNT will be held Holy Saturday, April 19 at 1:00 PM at the Resurrection Oratory/Parking Lot. **Please register children (ages 12 and under) by Tuesday, April 15.**

NAME(S) _____ AGE(S) _____



SUN., APRIL 6 - Religious Ed. 9:00-10:15 AM Resurrection Parish Center, Oratory Hall

SUN., APRIL 13 - Religious Ed. 9:00-10:15 AM Resurrection Parish Center, Oratory Hall

SUN., APRIL 20 - NO CLASSES. HAPPY EASTER!

SAT., APRIL 26 - First Holy Communion Practice 9:00 AM Resurrection Church AND 10th Grade Gifts of the Holy Spirit Retreat 1:30 to 4:30 PM at St. Benedict School Gym.

SUN., APRIL 27 - Religious Ed. 9:00-10:15 AM Resurrection Parish Center, Oratory Hall- **First Holy Communion and 11th Grade Confirmation Candidates Rite of Sending at 10:30 AM Mass at Resurrection Church.**



Mon. and Tues., April 7 and 8, 6:00 PM, Our Mother of Sorrows Church

Wed., April 9, 6:00 PM, St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Church, Windber

Wed., April 9, 5:00 PM, St. Therese Church, West End Penance Service

Thurs. April 10, 6:00 PM, St. John Gualbert Cathedral

Mon., April 14, 5:00 PM, St. Benedict Church

Wed., April 16, 6:00 PM, St. Patrick Church



HOLY THURSDAY, APRIL 17: Mass of the Lord's Supper **at 6:30 PM** (Please note the Mass time update from last week's bulletin) at Resurrection Church, followed by Night-watch of the Faithful until 10:00 PM.

GOOD FRIDAY, APRIL 18: Resurrection Church will be open shortly before noon for private prayer. Solemn Celebration of the Lord's Passion and Death at 3:00 PM. Then, journey with Mary in Her Hour of Desolation at 6:30 PM at Resurrection Church. There is no public Stations of the Cross scheduled. Stations of the Cross booklets will be available for the private praying of the Stations.

HOLY SATURDAY, APRIL 19: Blessing of the Baskets at 12:00 PM at Resurrection Church. Basket Blessing will take place outside the Church building (weather permitting). Children's Easter Egg Hunt at 1:00 PM at the Resurrection Oratory/Parking Lot.

Solemn Vigil of the Lord's Resurrection with Service of Light, Scripture readings of Salvation History, Renewal of Baptismal Promises, and Liturgy of the Eucharist at 8:30 PM at Resurrection Church.

EASTER SUNDAY, APRIL 20: Solemn Eucharistic Celebration of the Lord's Resurrection with Renewal of Baptismal Promises, **at 8:00 AM at St. Clare of Assisi Church and 10:30 AM at Resurrection Church** (please note the change in the Easter Sunday Mass schedule from last week's bulletin).

What's Happening **PUBLIC ROSARY:** We will be lifting our prayers for Vocations to the Priesthood on Thurs., April 10 at 6:30 PM at St. Clement Church, Johnstown and on Sat. April 12 at 12:00 PM at Central Park, Downtown Johnstown, or in case of inclement weather at St. Anne Shrine at St. John Gualbert Cathedral, Downtown Johnstown.

THE WEST END IMPROVEMENT GROUP will hold their Trash to Treasures Indoor Yard Sale on May 9 and 10 from 8:00 AM to 1:00 PM at St. Theresa Social Hall, Upper Decker Ave., Something for everyone. Get your Spring cleaning done and donate your items. We will accept clothing. No large appliances or large furniture. Call 814-322-5558 or 814-248-8989 for pick up of your items or you can drop them off the week of May 6. Every little bit helps. Proceeds go towards, surveillance cameras, garden/flower boxes, community events.



PLEASE KEEP IN YOUR PRAYERS: Marge Plowchin; Rich McDermott; Jim Kris; Judith Mish; Gwen Molnarko; Mike Macchiarolo; Gloria; Betty; Denny; Ken Heath; Jane Hershberger; Dee Young; Victor Flores; Cindy Kris; Premie twins, Michael Anthony Eppolito III and Sophia Marie Eppolito; Rosalia Pietrolungo; Margie Duranko; Ed Tursic; Nicholas Booth; Baby Max Turley; David Cross; Eric Rozich; Pat Meagher; Rita Piro; Mary Falvo; Chris Klopfer; Florence Urbassik; Mary Ann Bellak; Dembrosky Family; Michelle Burns; Debbie; Christine Freed; Maria Piro; Betsy Konar; Ashlee Fecko; Nellie Adkins; Mary Roberts; Michelle C.; Sandy Karas; Chuck Schmidt; Nicole; Manny Layman; Helen Khula; April Skalek; James Piro; Margaret Kovach; Marty Vrabel; George Salata; Ann Hoffman; Verbine Family and Friends; Fran Findley; Mary Lynch; Joseph Gregorchik; Kay Komar; Rita Ozog; Charlotte Fesko. To add (or remove) someone to the prayer list please call either Parish Office.



Baptisms: Call the Office three months prior to the preferred date. (New parishioners, call six months prior to preferred date.) One of the parents must be a practicing Catholic. Godparents need a certificate of eligibility from their home Pastor.

Marriages: Call the Office nine months prior to the preferred date. One of the partners must be a practicing Catholic.

St. Clare of Assisi Parish Council

Bridget Sarosi, Chairperson	Joseph Rizzo, Vice-Chairperson
Laura Angello	Mike Hudec
Ezio DiFrancesco	Lucille Piro
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Resurrection Parish Council

Carol Pisula, Chairperson	Pat Barrett, Vice-Chairperson
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Brande Conway	Barry Sirko
Ben Gagan	Faith Thomas
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If you have a need for a prayer and would like to be put on the prayer chain, please contact Barb Gulick at 814-792-8647 or jbg213@atlanticbb.net

