

CHURCH OF ST. CLEMENT

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MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday Vigil: 4:00 PM

Sunday: 9:30 AM

DAILY MASS

Consult Liturgical Schedule

Rev. William E. Rosenbaum, Pastor

Mandy Vigna, DRE

Suzie Catanese, Parish Secretary

Richard Von Schlichten

St Clement Food Pantry, (814) 255-2200

PARISH MEMBERSHIP - New members are always welcome! Please call the Rectory Office if you wish to join St. Clement Church. Current members are asked to notify the Rectory Office with any changes in address or phone numbers



RECONCILIATION - Saturday - 3:00 PM

BAPTISM - Call Rectory Office to register for Parents' Program prior to Baptism.

MARRIAGES - Call Rectory Office at least nine months in advance to arrange.

O.C.I.A. - Call Rectory if you are interested in becoming a Catholic.

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THE CLEMENTIAN

MARCH 30, 2025

FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT



Readings for next weekend, April 5 & 6: Isaiah 43:16-21/Philippians 3:8-14/John 8:1-11
Worship Book #801

DAILY MASS READINGS

Mon 3/31 Isaiah 65:17-21/John 4:43-54
Tue 4/01 Ezekiel 47:1-12/John 5:1-16
Wed 4/02 Isaiah 49:8-15/John 5:17-30
Thur 4/03 Exodus 32:7-14/John 5:31-47
Fri 4/04 Wisdom 2:1-22/John 7:1-30
Sat 4/05 Jeremiah 11:18-20/John 7:40-53

ST. CLEMENT CHURCH FINANCIAL INFORMATION FEBRUARY 2025

**Fiscal Year
to date**

Cash Received:	\$ 30,654	\$325,692
Expenses Paid:	37,493	334,850

Cash Received Over (Under)		
Expenses Paid:	\$ (6,839)	\$ (9,158)



Let us pray for the Holy Land.

O Merciful God, shield Israel and its people. Grant them peace and protection from harm. Lead their leaders with wisdom and their defenders with strength. Bless the land with harmony and let love conquer discord. Amen.

CALENDAR WINNERS

Mar 19—Bonnie & Ed Pavlosky, #811
 Mar 20—Linda McGough, #272
 Mar 21—Greg Dobrick, #083
 Mar 22—John & Mary Ann Conners, #238
 Mar 23—Mary Ann Sojak, #197
 Mar 24—John & Carol Concannon, #569
 Mar 25—Debbi Herdman, #918

PRAYER NETWORK CONTACT—

Dr. Judith Thomas – 814-535-4747
 thomasangelight@gmail.com



Pray the Rosary!

TODAY'S GOSPEL REFLECTION— Fourth Sunday of Lent



For too many of us, Lent is a season of doom and gloom, a time to feel bad about all the ways we are not “measuring up” in our spiritual lives. But this view could not be further from the truth. Lent is a season of refreshment and love, of awakening and rebirth. In fact, the word “lent” comes from the Old English word, “lencten,” which means spring. Lent is intended to be a springtime for us in our spiritual lives where all can become new again.

We owe God everything! But let's start by giving Him one little thing. Take even a faltering step closer to Him – go to Confession, go to Adoration, join in the Stations of the Cross, pray the Rosary, call a family member or friend you are at odds with and try to reconcile. With just the tiniest bit of spiritual “spring cleaning” we can be sure we will be swept up in our Father's loving embrace and find ourselves feasting in His presence. That is what Lent is all about.



PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL

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Mary Casto	814-243-1987
Bruce Eash	814-418-2280
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JoAnn Wade	814-421-5669
Julie Wagner	814-241-6497



Our message this week is simply one of tremendous **gratitude**. Thank you for your overwhelming response to our request for **soap, shower gel, shampoo, deodorant, toothpaste, toothbrushes, etc.**

Please remember that as you continue to donate tangible goods to this ministry, your generous hearts are not only a gift to those in need, but also to God.

Whatever you do for the least of these, you do for Me.

Matthew 25:40

Marriage: The intimate partnership of life and the love which constitutes the married state has been established by the Creator and endowed by Him with its own proper laws; it is rooted in the contract of its partners, that is, their irrevocable personal consent.

Life Matters: We pray to the Lord for all those receiving hospice care. May they receive the care, respect and protection they deserve.



EASTER COOKIE SALE

 Look for the Easter Cookie Order Form in today's bulletin. **Orders and payment are due by April 12th.** Please call Julie, 814-241-6497, or Donna, 814-659-3867, with any questions.



LENTEN POTATO SOUP SALE
\$10/Quart
**After Masses THIS WEEKEND,
March 29-30**

Lenten Penance Service

We invite you to experience the gift of God's loving forgiveness through the Sacrament of Reconciliation **THIS Monday, March 31st from 5:30 PM – 6:30 PM**. Several priests will be here to celebrate the Sacrament by hearing confessions and sharing Jesus' forgiveness. We hope you will take advantage of this special opportunity to prepare your heart & soul for the Resurrection of our Lord at Easter.

"It is not too late to make a fresh start with God."



Stations of the Cross

2025 SCHEDULE

April 4 – 6:30 PM

Not My Will, But Yours Be Done Stations

A musical and candlelit version of the Stations of the Cross with Biblical excerpts. The Stations of the Cross prayed like never before will stir the hearts of the faithful as they respond with an excerpt from the Book of Psalms.

April 11 – 6:30 PM - PIEROGIES 'N PRAYER

A simple Lenten meal of pierogies, green beans, applesauce and beverages will be served in the cafeteria from

5:00 PM – 6:00 PM

followed by

PRAYING THE STATIONS WITH MARY, THE MOTHER OF JESUS

*An account of Jesus' Passion as told through
the eyes of His Mother*

6:30 PM

No charge for the meal, but a free will offering will be accepted.

April 18 – 7:30 PM (Good Friday)

Stations in the Shadows

Traditional Stations are brought to life with readers and actors behind a screen creating shadowed imagery for a unique experience which brings the prayerful to Calvary for a devotional experience like no other.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED FOR WASHING OF THE FEET

Jesus said, "If I, the master and teacher, have washed your feet, you ought to wash one another's feet...so that as I have done for you, you should also do." On **Holy Thursday, April 17th**, we will do exactly what Jesus called us to do, to wash one another's feet. If you would like to participate in this most moving and rewarding experience by having your feet washed, please add your name to the sign-up sheet located in the vestibule.



AN "EGG"CELLENT UPCOMING EVENT Pysanky Classes

Pysanky egg classes will be held **next Sunday, April 6th from 1:00-3:00 PM** in the first-floor classroom. No experience necessary! All supplies will be provided. Children aged 10 and up may attend if accompanied by an adult. This is a great family activity! Please call Julie Wagner @ 814-241-6497 with any questions.

BRIGHTEN SOMEONE'S DAY THIS EASTER SEASON

Please consider brightening the day of our nursing home and homebound parishioners this Easter by sending them an Easter card. A list of



names and addresses can be found at all entrances to the Church.

How do we change the world?...

One random act of kindness at a time.



OUR DEEPEST SYMPATHY....

St. Clement Parish offers our sympathy to **Michelle & Joe Metzgar and Emily & Collin Imler on the death of Michelle's mother, Carol Swaney.** Please keep them in your prayers.



WAYS TO GIVE:

MAIL to:

Diocese of Altoona Johnstown
P.O. Box 272
Altoona, PA 16603

ONLINE:

www.ajdiocese.org/giving

COLLECTION BASKET:

Place in collection basket at church.

Please make checks payable to:

Catholic Ministries Drive
St. Clement Parish Goal: **\$35,000**



Help is wanted for a female parishioner in need of a paid companion to share time and conversation in

her Upper Yoder residence. No housekeeping, transport, or cooking required. Flexible schedule with needs of companion honored. Interested or questions—please call (814) 322-2330.



NUT ROLLS, POPPY SEED ROLLS, & BREAD SALE

St. Clare of Assisi Parish is taking orders for Nut Rolls and Poppy Seed Rolls. The cost is \$15.00 per roll. Orders can be placed by contacting the St. Clare Parish Office, (814)535-1133. **Pick-up will be Thursday, Friday, and Saturday, April 10, 11, & 12 from 10:00 AM to 6:00 PM** in the St. Clare of Assisi School Hall. The cost of the **Bread is \$5.00** and can be picked up on **Saturday, April 12th, 10:00 AM to 6:00 PM ONLY.**



PUBLIC ROSARY



PRAYING FOR VOCATIONS TO THE PRIESTHOOD

THURSDAY, APRIL 10TH – 6:30 PM
ST. CLEMENT CHURCH

All are welcome!



SATURDAY, APRIL 12TH – NOON
CENTRAL PARK, DOWNTOWN JOHNSTOWN **OR**
ST. ANNE SHRINE @ ST. JOHN GUALBERT
All are welcome!

BEREAVEMENT SUPPORT



Journey Through Loss is a nine-week program for those who have lost a loved one through death recently or in the past.

The program provides the opportunity to share or to listen and offers positive ideas for coping. The **next session begins on Tuesday, April 22nd.** We will meet weekly from 6:30 to 8:00 PM in *Holy Grounds at Our Mother of Sorrows Church in Westmont.* All faiths are welcome. For more information or to register, please contact Mary Petrak at 814-502-6076 or mfpetrak@hotmail.com.



PRAYER FOR A GOOD CONFESSION

Come, Holy Spirit, into my soul. Show me my sins, both the wrong that I did and the good I failed to do. Give me the grace to be sorry for my sins out of love for God, so that through Confession my soul might be healed and strengthened to do good. Amen!

- **Opening Prayer** – led by Julie Wagner
 - **In attendance:** Fr Rosenbaum, Chris Hohrun, Joe Brawley, Mary Casto, Bruce Eash, Hunter Gleason, Donna Guatta-Kohr, Karen Harnish, Tracey Kleinmeyer, Amy Rozich, Laurie Sonoski, Mandy Vigna, JoAnne Wade, Julie Wagner
 - **Review Last Meeting's Minutes from February 06, 2025** – motion to accept: Julie Wagner 2nd: Joe Brawley
 - **Old Business: Lent 2025: 1) Ash Wednesday: both masses fairly well attended**
 - 2) **Stations of the Cross:** Begin Fri, March 7th 6:30pm w/Shadow Stations – powerful, meaningful interpretation of Stations – 2 adult volunteers have joined the group – Thank You!
 - 3) **Lenten Bag distribution:** 40+ bags have been prepared & distributed – Thank You! to all who helped
 - 4) **"Hope & Renewal Retreat" w/Taylor Tripodi:** "*Save the Date*" cards for Saturday, April 5th were handed out at mass – details continue to be confirmed for a full day of Lenten reflection – RSVPs necessary as lunch will be provided – plan to attend 4pm mass, then dinner at a cost, w/concert to follow to end the day
 - 5) **Volunteers/Participants:** needed for Stations (readers, candle lighters, etc....) - sign-ups in church vestibule
 - **Standing Committees**
 - **Finance Council (Laurie):** 1) revenue has been down
 - 2) gathering estimates for parking lot paving, sealing & line painting to be done as soon as weather breaks
 - 3) Soaring Heights playground upgrades still being planned
 - 4) looking at options for a donation link to be available following St Clement's YouTube mass for viewers wishing to donate
 - 5) talking w/bank rep(s) re: cashless option for payment at church sales (bake sales, haluski, soup, etc...)
 - 6) Cash & Gas tickets were another great success – Thank You! to all who helped in any way, especially everyone who purchased
 - **Maintenance (Bruce):** regular maintenance for this time of year – assessment & repair estimates being gathered for bricks that have been falling from school building
 - **Director of Religious Education / Education (Mandy):** Faith Formation going well – Apr 27th last day PRE!! / McCort preparing for their yearly silent auction
 - **Liturgy (Father Rosenbaum):** Lenten environment in church was expanded this year – Thank You! to all who helped / preparing for weekly Stations of the Cross / we have 3 new Eucharistic Ministers / Planning & preparing for Holy Week celebrations – *many* volunteers needed for all the different parts of the celebrations / volunteers being trained for funeral altar servers / lights in the church have been fixed – Thank You! to Joe Brawley / new flavor of wine to be offered at masses beginning this weekend(March 8 & 9) as our distributor unable to continue getting our usual brand
 - **Family Life (Julie):** 1) Haluski making – 13+ people – fun, happy group – Thank You! – began selling after masses starting w/Ash Wednesday mass and will continue till gone - \$10/packed quart – 166 quarts made + 19 quarts onion soup (Thank you, Julie for the soup)
 - 2) Potato Soup making & sale – date TBD
 - 3) Apple Dumpling sale – 144 sold for a profit of \$510
 - 4) Apple Crumb Pies – 36 sold for a profit of \$360
 - 5) Easter Cookie Boxes – planning on taking orders - to be announced in bulletin
 - 6) Pysanky Egg making classes – Sundays: March 23rd & April 6th, 1-3pm – Please bring your own eggs
 - 7) Pierogies & Prayer – Friday April 11th prior to Stations of the Cross
 - **Christian Services (Amy):** no report / plans to reach out to Elaine Young re: From the Heart
 - **Communication Committee (Laurie):** no report / still ironing out the process(es) for planning, informing parishioners & implementation of upcoming events
 - **New Business**
 - **Pastor's Remarks:** continue to be careful walking on church sidewalks & parking lots, can be icy & slick in spots / salt expenses for Jan & Feb were higher than planned & budgeted for, so every little bit of extra revenue from the haluski, soup, pies, etc... helps to offset the expense – Thank You! / Looking for new ways to get more parishioners involved in participating in church services & activities – suggestions welcomed
 - **Next Meeting:** Thursday, April 3rd, 6pm
 - **Volunteer for Next Meeting's Prayers:** Karen Harnish
 - **Closing Prayer** – led Julie Wagner
- ~ Respectfully submitted in Christ, Tracey Kleinmeyer, Parish Council Secretary



Saint Clement Church EASTER COOKIE SALE



An assortment of homemade cookies such as kolaches, strawberry white chocolate chip, Easter linzers, sugar cookies, holiday frosted cutouts, and more, packaged in Easter themed boxes.

Our cookie boxes will make a great addition to your Easter celebration and a wonderful gift for friends, family, caretakers, neighbors, hairdressers, teachers, and more.

Please drop off the Order Form and payment at the Church Rectory, in the collection box at Church, or mail to 114 Lindberg Avenue, Johnstown, PA 15905.

Orders and payment must be received by April 12th.

These delicious cookies will be ready for pickup in the Parish Social Hall on Saturday, April 19th between 10:00 AM and 12:00 Noon

Please call Julie Wagner at 814-241-6497 or Donna Kohr at 814-659-3867 with questions.

Thank you for your support! All proceeds benefit St. Clement Church.



COOKIE BOX ORDER FORM

Name: _____ Phone Number: _____

Email Address _____

Please indicate how many of each item you would like to purchase and enter the total amount due at the bottom.

1 Dozen – 6 varieties # of boxes _____ x \$8.00 = _____

3 Dozen – 8+ varieties # of boxes _____ x \$22.00 = _____

1/2 Dozen - Gluten Free Linzers # of boxes _____ x \$8.00 = _____
and 1/2 Dozen Frosted Cut Outs

Total # of boxes ordered _____ Total Amount Due: \$ _____

- ☐ I am paying by Check made payable to St. Clement Church.
- ☐ I am paying by Cash. I am enclosing the exact amount due.

Please return
Order Form by
Saturday, Apr
12th.



MARCH APRIL

LITURGICAL SCHEDULE AND APPOINTMENTS



SCHEDULE	MASS SCHEDULE	ALTAR SERVER(S)	EUCCHARISTIC MINISTER(S)	LECTOR(S) CANTOR ORGANIST	HOSPITALITY MINISTERS
MONDAY 31-Mar 8:00 AM 5:30-6:30 PM	LENTEN WEEKDAY Patty Fabry, Req. by Rich Torok Penance Service	Ed Serafin	Terri Connor	Andrea Riek	
TUESDAY 1-Apr 8:00AM	LENTEN WEEKDAY Thomas Ricci, Req. by Mary Battaline	Ed Serafin	Mary Koval	Marsha Critchfield	
WEDNESDAY 2-Apr	ST. FRANCIS OF PAOLA NO MASS				
THURSDAY 3-Apr 8:00 AM	LENTEN WEEKDAY Bill Findley, Req. by Larry Mundok	Ed Serafin	Diane Riner	John Pattison	
FRIDAY 4-Apr 6:30 PM	LENTEN WEEKDAY NO MASS Stations of the Cross				
SATURDAY 5-Apr 4:00 PM 6:30 PM	ANTICIPATED SUNDAY MASS Intentions of Parish Family Taylor Tripodi Concert	Alexis Roth Stephen Sanders	Betsy Reitz - MC Kathy Williams - MC Justin Bulas - MH Chris Sheridan - MH Sharon Mock- FH Mary Casto - FC Mary Koval - FC Morgan Casto - Choir	Maria Sanders Stephanie Bischof Dave Pavlik Bryan Bazyk	Sally Drager Charlie Hagins Pete Hohrun Josie McVicker Bonnie Pavlosky Frank Rovder
SUNDAY 6-Apr 9:30 AM	FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT Evelyn Park, Req. by Bill & Diane Riner	Brielle Facciani Dominic Facciani Larry Wagner	John Pattison- MC Julie Wagner - MC Bill Riner - MH Philip Sapala - MH Diane Grasser - FH Diane Riner - FC Andrea Riek - FC Deanna Kelley - Choir	Connie Mercik Mandy Vigna Mary Statler Rosalyn Marovich	Pat Butler Bruce Eash Nanci Gaborek Ron Konicky Butch Park Philip Sapala Allen Wright

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