

CHURCH OF ST. CLEMENT

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MASS SCHEDULE - Saturday Vigil: 4:00 PM - Sunday: 9:30 AM
DAILY MASS - Consult Liturgical Schedule

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RECONCILIATION – Saturday – 3:00 PM

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

MARRIAGE – Call Rectory Office at least nine months in advance to arrange.

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

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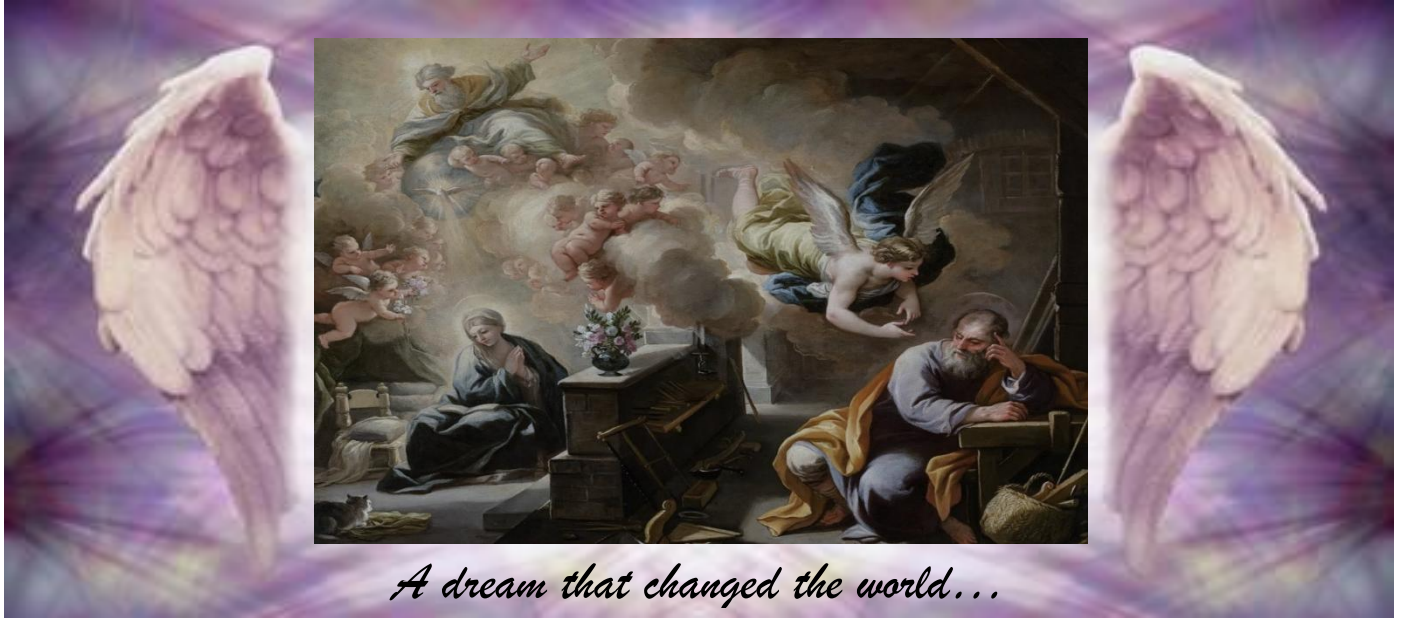
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THE CLEMENTIAN

DECEMBER 21ST, 2025

FOURTH SUNDAY OF ADVENT



A dream that changed the world...

Readings for next weekend, Dec 27th & 28th, The Holy Family of Jesus, Mary, & Joseph, Sirach 3:2-6/
Colossians 3:12-21/Matthew 2:13-15
Worship Book #782

Readings for the week of December 21, 2025

Monday: 1 Sm 1:24-28 /Lk 1:46-56
Tuesday: Mal 3:1-4, 23-24 /Lk 1:57-66
Wednesday: Morning: 2 Sm 7:1-5, 8b-12, 14a/ Lk 1:67-79
Thursday: *Vigil:* Is 62:1-5/Acts 13:16-17, 22-25/
Mt 1:1-25 or 1:18-25
Night: Is 9:1-6/ Ti 2:11-14/Lk 2:1-14
Dawn: Is 62:11-12/Ti 3:4-7/Lk 2:15-20
Day: Is 52:7-10/Heb 1:1-6/Jn 1:1-18 or 1:1-5, 9-14
Friday: Acts 6:8-10; 7:54-59/Mt 10:17-22
Saturday :1 Jn 1:1-4/Jn 20:1a, 2-8



CALENDAR WINNERS!

December 10-Bob Dolansky, #942
 December 11-Felicia Toth, #505
 December 12-Celina Vigna, #690
 December 13-Monica & John Leonard, #536
 December 14-Mike Barbado, #469
 *Sellers Bonus Day-Dave Pavlik
 December 15-Karen Deutsch, #250
 December 16-J.P. Wainwright, #059

ST. CLEMENT CHURCH FINANCIAL INFORMATION

	<u>Nov 2025</u>	<u>Fiscal Year</u> 2026 year to date
Cash Received:	\$ 46,352.00	\$ 195,410.00
Expenses Paid:	\$ 40,510.00	\$ 182,014.00
Cash Received Over (Under)		
Expenses Paid:	\$5,842.00	\$13,396.00

PRAYER NETWORK CONTACT—
 Dr. Judith Thomas – 814-535-4747
 thomasangelight@gmail.com

”HEAVENLY FATHER, FILL OUR HEARTS WITH
 KINDNESS AND JOY AS WE CELEBRATE THE GIFT OF
 JESUS TODAY”.



ST. CLEMENT CHURCH CHRISTMAS SCHEDULE



TODAY'S GOSPEL REFLECTION- FOURTH SUNDAY OF ADVENT

As our Advent preparations draw to a close and Christmas fast approaches, it is fitting that today's readings demonstrate the intensity of the Father's perfect and passionate love for each of us, culminating in the gift of His own Son, Jesus Christ, on Christmas Day. As we reflect on the enormity of this gift, let us ask ourselves what we can offer in return. In our Gospel passage from Matthew, we find an unparalleled example of one who embraced the stewardship way of life in St Joseph, as he responds to God's call to him through the message of an angel. St Joseph immediately and humbly obeys the instruction from the angel: "Do not be afraid to take Mary your wife into your home. For it is through the Holy Spirit that this child has been conceived in her. She will bear a son, and you are to name him Jesus, because he will save his people from their sins." Open to this extraordinary role, he did as the angel commanded and 'takes Mary into his home. 'Let us imitate St Joseph, then, as good stewards, giving our very lives to those around us in love and gratitude to God who has given us everything we have, especially His own Son, Jesus Christ. We will no doubt find that the more we give ourselves away, the more our generous Father will fill us with His grace and peace – these are truly the best Christmas gift we could receive.

Wednesday, December 24 – Christmas Eve

3:30 PM – Christmas Carols by Choir
4:00 PM – Christmas Vigil Mass
9:00 PM – Christmas Mass at Night
RECTORY OFFICE CLOSED

Thursday, December 25 – Christmas Day

9:15 AM – Christmas Carols by Choir
9:30 AM – Christmas Day Mass
RECTORY OFFICE CLOSED

Friday, December 26 **RECTORY OFFICE CLOSED**

Wednesday, December 31 – Vigil - Solemnity of Mary

4:00 PM – Mass
RECTORY OFFICE CLOSED

Thursday, January 1 – Solemnity of Mary

9:30 AM – Mass
RECTORY OFFICE CLOSED



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A Heartfelt Thank You from the Angel Tree Ministry!

A sincere thank you to all who participated in this year's Angel Tree program!

Your enthusiastic participation helped provide gifts and necessities for local families! We extend our deepest appreciation to everyone who donated gifts and money, the volunteers who helped organize, and all who contributed their time and effort. It is your collective kindness that makes this program possible, and spreads hope during the holiday season.

We are truly grateful for our church's generosity and kindness!



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From the Desk of the Parish Staff

As we celebrate the wondrous Nativity of our Lord Jesus Christ, we, the staff of St. Clement Church, want to extend our deepest gratitude to our entire parish family.

Your extraordinary generosity, tireless volunteer work, and constant support throughout the year are truly a reflection of God's love in action. It is your dedication that makes our church a warm, spiritual home for everyone in our church family.

This Christmas, we pray that the peace and joy of the Savior's birth fills your homes and hearts. May your New Year be blessed with health and happiness. Thank you for being the hands and feet of Christ.

Merry Christmas and God Bless!



Marriage- We pray to the Lord for all parents on the birth of their child: May they look to the Blessed Mother and Saint Joseph and follow their example of rejoicing at the wonderful gift they have been given.

Life Matters- We pray for all Christians. May the birth of Our Lord Jesus Christ awaken in our hearts the wonder of the precious gift of every child.



Don't forget the Christmas Cookies!

A friendly reminder to everyone who pre-ordered cookies. Your delicious Christmas treats are ready for collection at the Parish Social Hall on:

Monday, December 22nd, 10:30AM - NOON and 4:00PM - 7:00PM

Tuesday, December 23rd, 10:30AM - NOON

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

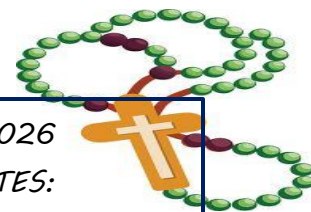


FOOD PANTRY
Our next Food Pantry "red bucket" collection will take place the first weekend in **January**.

GRIEF SHARE

Fr. Patrick Corrigan, TOR, will be hosting the "Grief Share" program beginning on **Thursday, February 5, 2026 at 2:00 PM** at St. Bernardine Monastery, 768 Monastery Road, Hollidaysburg. The "Grief Share" program is a 12-week bereavement workshop for those who have experienced a significant loss, and to assist in understanding and processing emotions. A workbook and resources will be provided for use throughout the program. For questions regarding the program or to enroll, please call 814-695-3802. You may also contact Fr. Patrick via email at pcorrigan@dioceseaj.org.

The "Come Ye Faithful" Christmas Concert at Westmont Presbyterian Church has been canceled for Sunday. It has been rescheduled for Sunday, January 11th.



JANUARY 2026

ROSARY DATES:

Thursday the 8th at 6:30PM,

St. Clement Church

Saturday the 10th at noon,

St. John Gualbert at the

St. Anne Shrine

"Praying for the protection of life!"



We are saddened to announce the passing of parishioner Marilyn Safko. Marilyn passed away on Wednesday, December 17th.

We also lift up in prayer our fellow parishioner Isabel Sadosky, and her family, following the passing of her sister Teresa Lux.

We ask the Lord to comfort both these families in their grief and surround them with His peace!

"For by grace you have been saved through faith."

Ephesians 2:8

ECHOES OF A POLISH CHRISTMAS

All Saints Parish in Boswell will host their annual singing of Polish Christmas Carols (known as Koledy) on:

Sunday, Jan 4th - at 2:00PM

All Saints Church

325 Quemahoning St.

Boswell, Somerset County

Following the singing of hymns by the parish's Polish choir, there will be Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament as well as refreshments.

Koledy help to capture some of the finest sentiments, values, and emotions of the Polish religious, national, and artistic heritage. Polish customs are very rich; whether you are Polish or not, please come and experience these time-honored hymns celebrating the birth of Christ.

All are welcome to attend!

December

SCHEDULE	MASS SCHEDULE	ALTAR SERVER(S)	EUCCHARISTIC MINISTER(S)	LECTOR(S) CANTOR ORGANIST	HOSPITALITY MINISTERS
MONDAY 22-Dec 8:00AM	Late Advent Weekday Anniversary Remembrance for James Chalich req by Wife Gloria & Family	M.Critchfield	Ed Serafin	Mary Koval	
TUESDAY 23-Dec 8:00 AM	Late Advent Weekday Herman & Mildred Lux req by Daughter & Family	M.Critchfield	John Pattison	Mary Koval	
WEDNESDAY 24-Dec 4:00PM	CHRISTMAS EVE Sam Eppolito req by Wife Agnes & Family	Hunter Gleason Alissa Durst	Ruth Morello-FH J.Pattison/B.Reitz-FC T.Connor/C.Hohrun-MH J.Saracena/S.Durst-MC	R.Von Schlichten Sam Morello Lauren Conrad Bryan Bazyk	J.McVicker/S.Vavrek D.Kohr & Maria M. S.Drager/A.Stager M.Koval/T.Connor Frank Rovder
9:00PM	Bud Statler Jr req by Wife Mary	Morgan Faight Kennedy Faight	Linda Rigo-FH C.Mercik/D.Kelley-FC C.Sheridan/M.Vigna-MH Brawley's-MC	Stephanie Bischof Marcia Polonkey Larry Wagner Roselyn Marovich	Leitenberger's D.Kelley/A.Hinton L.Rigo/Polonkey's Faight's
THURSDAY 25-Dec 9:30 AM	<i>The Nativity of the Lord</i> Bill Town req by Donna & Family	Larry Wagner Nancy Stamplis	Julie Wagner-FH K.Harnish/D.Grasser-FC Riners-MH Roth's-MC	Deb Rullman Bruce Grasser Lauren Grasser Bryan Bazyk	D.Riner/S.Mock P.Sapala/B.Stamplis B.Eash/R.Konicky H.Park/K.Harnish
FRIDAY 26-Dec	St. Stephen NO MASS				D.Vranich/L & D Grasser
SATURDAY 27-Dec 4:00PM	ANTICIPATED SUNDAY MASS Deceased Members of the Cortes Family req by Isabel Sadosky	Anthony Marisa Nancy Stamplis	Betsy Reitz-FC Kathy Williams-FC M.Critchfield-MH Mary Koval-MH Ruth Morello-MC Chris Sheridan-MC Ralph Trofino-FH	M.O'Connor Joyce Sager Emilie Polenik Roselyn Marovich	Sally Drager Charlie Hagins Pete Hohrun Josie McVicker B. Pavlosky Frank Rovder
SUNDAY 28-Dec 9:30AM	The Holy Family of Jesus, Mary, and Joseph Intentions of Parish Family	D.Facciani B.Facciani	Deanna Kelley-FC John Saracena-FC Diane Grasser-MH Philip Sapala-MH A.Riek/K.Harnish-MC Julie Wagner-FH	Bruce Grasser John Pattison Vickie Truscello Bryan Bazyk	P. Butler/P. Sapala B. Eash/Allen Wright D.Kohr/Ron Konicky Butch Park M. Maharowski

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