



October 12, 2025



**28th Sunday
Ordinary Time**

Today's
readings

MASS SCHEDULE

Weekday Mass

Monday & Thursday:
8:00 a.m.

Tuesday, Wednesday,
and Friday:
No Mass

Weekend Mass

Saturday: 4:00 p.m.

Sunday:
8:30 a.m.
10:30 a.m.

Confession:

Saturday: 3:00 p.m.
Or by appointment

All Sacraments:

Please call the office



OUR LOCATION

Epiphany of Our Lord Catholic Church

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📞 724-684-7661

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🌐 www.eolparish.com

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LITURGIES FOR THE WEEK

Saturday, October 11 — Vigil

4:00 PM † Susan Marie Hines Daniel by Sister, Patti

Sunday, October 12 — 28th Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:30 AM † James H. Todd by wife, Ruth, and Family

10:30 AM † Deceased Members of the Foglia Family
& Helen & Rich Bosh by Phyllis Foglia

Monday, October 13

8:00 AM † Deb Harkins by Dan Harkins

Tuesday, October 14

8:00 AM Mass at St. Sebastian

Wednesday, October 15

9:00 AM Mass at St. John the Baptist

Thursday, October 16

8:00 AM † Mildred Cramer by Daughter, Lisa Anderson

Friday, October 17

10:15 AM Mass at St. Sebastian

Saturday, October 18 — Vigil

4:00 PM † Edward, Dorothy & Vincent Jarabeck by Family

Sunday, October 19 — 29th Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:30 AM † Helen & ValGene Veschio by Children

10:30 AM Pro Populo

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OFFICE HOURS :

Monday –Thursday: 8:30 a.m. –12; 1 p.m.– 3 p.m.

Friday: 8:30 a.m.—12:00 p.m.

Ministry Schedule — October 18 & 19, 2025

	Lector	Eucharistic Minister	Altar Server
4:00 p.m.	D. DeCarlo	D. Harkins L. Henry J. Elias	Volunteer
8:30 a.m.	F. Petrosky	J. Todd S. Stein L. DeFelices	Volunteer
10:30 a.m.	W. Vlasic	T. Mazzei W. White A. Punturiero	M. Guiliford

Money Counters

Monday, October 13 — Team #5 — M. Smith

Scripture Reflection

In this week's Gospel, Jesus heals ten lepers, but only one returns to thank Him. This passage reminds us of the importance of gratitude for God's mercy. The healed Samaritan, despite being from a despised group, shows humility and faith by glorifying God and prostrating himself before Jesus. His act of thanksgiving signifies recognition that all blessings come from God, regardless of our background. The others, though healed, lacked gratitude, revealing a spiritual leprosy of ingratitude. As followers of Christ, we are called to acknowledge His mercy with humility and thanks. True faith is not only about receiving God's gifts but also about returning praise to Him, recognizing that all we have is a gift from His love. Let us strive to be like the Samaritan—humble, grateful, and faithful—giving glory to God in both our words and actions. In doing so, we align ourselves with the divine plan and deepen our relationship with Our Lord, who desires our gratitude as a sign of our trust and love.

Speaker Clearance

If you plan to invite any guest speaker to a church event, please first contact Adelle Slebodnik at aslebonik@dioceseofgreensburg.org or 724-244-9434. The Diocese requires all guest speakers to be vetted and have the required clearances. Thank you for your cooperation.

Piano Recital

The Saint Vincent College Concert Series invites you to a piano recital given by Diocesan Organist, J. Christopher Pardini on **Friday, October 17 at 7:00 p.m. in the Saint Vincent Basilica Crypt**. Enjoy the timeless elegance of Mendelssohn's *Three Caprices* and the exquisite lyricism of Mozart's beloved *Sonata in A Major* concluding with the charming *Rondo alla Turca*. Works by Johannes Brahms and Franz Liszt round out this program of memorable music performed on the Steinway concert grand piano in the Saint Vincent Basilica Crypt. Admission is free.

GCCHS Open House

Greensburg Central Catholic will host their Fall Open House for Prospective students on **Sunday, Nov. 2** from 1 p.m.—3 p.m. For more info or to register visit gchcs.org.

With Deepest Sympathy — Condolences are extended to the families of STANLEY MATINSKY, ROBERT KUCMEROSKI, ALAN 'JACK' MANDERINO, AND NIRA PERSICO. May God grant them eternal rest, and comfort to their families. We commend their souls to rest in the peace of Christ.

Stewardship

Weekly Collection Oct. 5

Votive Candles:	179
Utility & Energy:	208
Accent:	3
Children & Adult	
Collection:	6,383
Online :	2,856
Total Collection:	\$9,629
Seminarian:	65
World Mission:	20
Total Collection:	\$9,714

October Count

With October comes the count. It's a time for the Diocese to check attendance in the parishes. So if you see people in the back of the church actively counting, know that is the reason. The count begins this weekend.

Groups

Epiphany Ladies will meet on Tuesday, **October 14 at 6 p.m.** in the Church hall. Members are asked to bring hats, scarves, gloves or socks – to the meeting. Donations will support the Monessen School District's "Care Closet" programs. New members are always welcome to attend!

Catholic Daughters of America will meet on Tuesday, **October 21**. The Audit Committee will meet at 5:00 p.m. in the Epiphany Church Hall. **The rosary will begin at 6 p.m. and the meeting immediately following.** Members are asked to bring donations of candy and/or mini bottles of water to the meeting for Trunk or Treat on October 25.

Lantern Tour

St. Emma Monastery, Greensburg, will sponsor a "lantern-lit" walking tour of the Monastery on Friday, October 24 (Rain date: Oct. 25) from 4 p.m.—8 p.m. The tour features Eucharistic Saints' Journey through Church History. Tours leave every 10 minutes. \$10/per adult / \$5 Students / \$2 under 13. For info: call 724-961-0224, or email Donna Sunseri at greensburgpa@catholicsschoolhouse.com

Cheeseball Sale

Catholic Daughters of the Americas, Court Monessen 776 are selling their "World Famous **Cheese Balls**" for the Holidays. They are wrapped to freeze and nuts are bagged separately. Cost \$10.00. **Orders are due by Tuesday, October 21.** Call Regent Debbie Genemore at 724-708-8335 to order. **Pick up: Friday, November 14** between 1:00 to 3:00 in the Church Hall. Thank you for your support.

Ravioli Sale

St. Anne Church, Rostraver Twp., is holding their semi-annual drive-by **frozen ravioli sale** on Saturday, October 18 from 9 a.m. until Noon. Meat or Cheese Ravioli are \$10/dozen; sauce is \$7/quart and meatballs are 5 for \$5.

Faith

Month of the Rosary



October is designated by the Catholic Church as the "Month of the Rosary". In 1569, Pope St. Pius V officially approved the rosary in its present form. This "newer" version includes the second half of the Hail Mary as well as the Glory Be prayer at the end of each mystery. "Praying the Rosary is like holding Mary's hand" (St. Teresa of Calcutta).

St. Carlo Acutis Exhibit

Recently canonized Carlo Acutis is known as God's Influencer. An Exhibit of the Eucharistic Miracles and a first Class Relic of St. Carlo Acutis will be on display in **St. Sebastian Parish Hall** the weekend of **October 24—26**. All are invited. Dates and times of the display:

Friday, October 24 from 3 a.m.—7 p.m.

Saturday, October 25 from 1 p.m.—7 p.m.

Sunday, October 26 from 9 a.m.—4 p.m.

For more information, call 724-288-7901

To visit the official website: www.carloacutis.com/en/association. The list of Eucharistic Miracles that have occurred over the centuries from around the world and compiled by St. Carlo can be found at: www.miracolieucaristici.org/en/liste/list.html

Men's Conference

Registration for the Diocesan Men's Conference, **THE WELL: A Future of Hope**, is now open with a special invitation to all fathers, grandfathers, godfathers, uncles and men from around the Diocese to join the Men's Ministry Team for this dynamic event. The conference will be held **Saturday, Nov. 15, from 8 a.m.-2 p.m.** at Christ Our Shepherd Center. Two speakers will be featured: **Bishop Joseph Espallat**, Auxiliary Bishop of the Archdiocese of New York, and **Leonard J. DeLorenzo, Ph.D.**, theology professor at the McGrath Institute for Church Life and Department of Theology at the University of Notre Dame, who will engage men to share their faith with our future – the young men in their lives. **Registration is \$25 for men living in the Diocese of Greensburg** and \$50 for others. The conference is also open to high school age men at no charge; however, they must be accompanied by a paying male family member. The cost includes continental breakfast and lunch. For more information or to register, visit DioceseofGreensburg.org/THEWELL.

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