

Immaculate Conception Blessed Virgin Mary

Saint Mary's Parish

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9:00 am - 4:00 pm

Wednesday & Saturday

By appointment only



April 5, 2026 Easter Sunday

Weekly Mass Schedule

Tuesday 8:30 am

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Saturday 5:30 pm

Sunday 10:00 am

Spanish Mass, 3rd Sunday of
the month, 12:30 pm

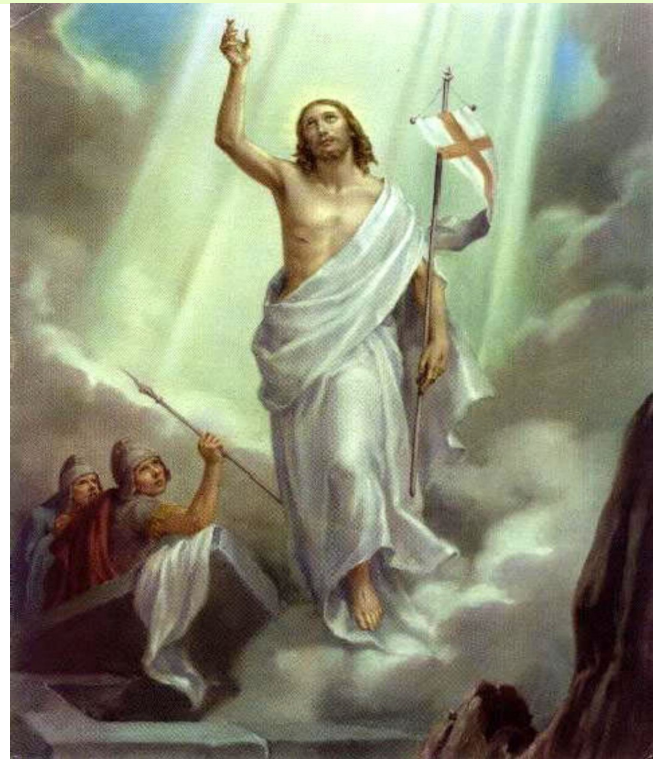
Holy Days: Please see bulletin.

**Please join us in saying the Rosary
one half-hour before each Mass.**

Sacraments:

Confession: Saturday 3:00 pm at
St. Joseph's Church or by appointment

Anointing of the sick: Please call the Parish
office if someone is in the hospital or about to
undergo surgery.



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Fb: Immaculate Conception BVM Church Berwick PA

MASS SCHEDULE:

MONDAY, April 6

No Mass

TUESDAY, April 7 (St. Mary's)

8:30 am - + Dr. John & Frances MacHutchin

WEDNESDAY, April 8 (St. Mary's)

8:30 am - + Maureen Andrzejewski

THURSDAY, April 9 (St. Joseph's)

8:30 am - + Kocela Family

FRIDAY, April 10 (St. Joseph's)

8:30 am - + Anthony & Trudy Norce

SATURDAY, April 11

3:00 pm - Confession (St. Joseph's)

4:00 pm - + Charlotte Kirkley (St. Joseph's)

5:30 pm - + Samantha Boucek (St. Mary's)

SUNDAY, April 12

8:30 am - People of the Parish (St. Joseph's)

2:30 pm - Confession and Adoration

3:00 pm - Holy Hour - Divine Mercy

10:00 am - People of the Parish (St. Mary's)

VIGIL LIGHTS

Blessed Mother: + Joseph Venditti

Peace Candle: + Cacilie K. Shay

Resurrection Candle: + George Curry

Altar Bread and Wine: + Thomas, Florence &
Matthew Kopetskie

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS

Saturday - April 11 - Kilcullen/Turnbach

Sunday - April 12 - Samsel

LECTORS

Saturday - April 11 - Kilcullen

Sunday - April 12 - Miller

ALTAR SERVERS

Saturday - April 11 - Needed

Sunday - April 12 - Bankes

Servers for all ministries are still needed.

PARISH STEWARDSHIP

March 29, 2026

Offertory	\$ 4,843.00
Easter	\$ 105.00
Debt Reduction	\$ 106.00
Ash Wednesday	\$ 84.00
Easter Flowers	\$ 241.00
Capital Campaign	\$ 4,406.00

Thank you for your continuous generosity

Diocesan Annual Campaign

Parish Goal for 2026: \$ 32,267.00

Gifts Received: \$ 10,121.00

Over/(under) goal \$ (22,146.00)

Please be sure to return your commitment envelope with your pledge. You may drop it off in the collection basket, turn it in to the parish office, or mail it to the Diocese. All money received above our goal comes back to our church.

BE PREPARED FOR THE WORD OF THE LORD

April 12, 2026

Second Sunday of Easter

Acts 2:42-47

Psalms 118:2-4, 13-15, 22-24

1 Peter 1:3-9

John 20:19-31

On the first Sunday of every month, the Knights of Columbus host a coffee & donut social immediately following the 10:00 am Mass. Everyone is invited to attend.

The Daughters of St. Mary collect for the **HOPE** collection on the third weekend of every month after all masses. Please donate to this worthy cause. Thank you.

The Cancer support group meets on the second Thursday of each month at 7:00 pm in the meeting room. The meeting is open to the public. Please join us.

Please Pray for Peace 

From Our Pastor:

St. Mary's has done quite well at raising funds for our new and much needed HVAC system. We started a capital campaign to raise the needed funds in October of 2023. We now have over \$173,000.00. The cost of the new system is \$178,000.00. This amount we will reach shortly.

Silvertip, the contracted company for the HVAC system, believes they will be done with the project well before the end of May. Thanks to the generous support of you, our parishioners, we will be able to worship in comfort this summer and well into the future.

Thank you,

Fr. Barbee

On 4/19 immediately following 10am mass, a follow up organizational choir meeting will take place. After a successful first meeting, we would like to see if any other members would be interested. Men, women and children are welcome. Performances will take place about 10 times per year between Sept-May. If you have an interest or questions, please join our meeting.

Today, along with the disciples, we discover the empty tomb. At first, the disciples did not understand that Jesus had risen from the dead. That understanding would come in time. Along with the disciples, we are invited to reflect upon the gift of the empty tomb, to believe, and to journey.

Even though women in the Jewish community of that era could not be legal witnesses, all four Gospels tell us that the first disciples to discover the empty tomb were women. When Mary of Magdala encounters Jesus, she mistakes him for the gardener. Jesus will appear to his disciples several times before his Ascension, and they will begin to believe and to understand. This is a journey of faith that I look forward to walking with you. He is Risen! Happy Easter!



On the First Sunday of the month, April 5, Easter Day, we will not have doughnuts after Mass. The Knights of Columbus will return on the First Sunday in May, May 3, with the world's best doughnuts! See you there!

Divine Mercy Sunday

Please come and join us at St. Joseph Church for an Hour of Mercy next Sunday, April 12th.

At 2:30 pm, there will be Confession & Adoration. The Holy Hour starts at 3:00 pm.



"Volunteers are needed for the Grove mowing duties this year. Please call or text Bill DeLuca at 570-220-4628 to sign up and for more details."



CCD Schedule

April 5 - Happy Easter - No Class

April 12 - Class in Session

April 19 - Class in Session

April 26 - Class in Session

First Communion practice 4:00 pm



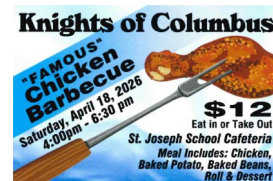
For tickets,

Contact Pete Taylor:

570-850-7755

or John Capozzelli:

570-854-2267





Happy Easter

HE IS RISEN

May the spirit of Easter fill your heart with love, kindness, and compassion. Have a blessed Easter with your loved ones.

