

THE CATHOLIC CHURCHES OF

# Immaculate Conception of the BVM “St. Mary’s”

# Saint Rita’s Parish

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**Mass Schedule** · Saturday · 5:00pm | Sunday · 8:00 & 10:30am

Weekdays · 8:00am · Saturday · 8:00am

Vigil of the Holy Day 6:30pm (except for 12/31 5:00pm)

Holy Day 8:00am & 6:30pm

**Confessions** · Thursday after the morning Mass

Saturday 3:30 to 4:30pm

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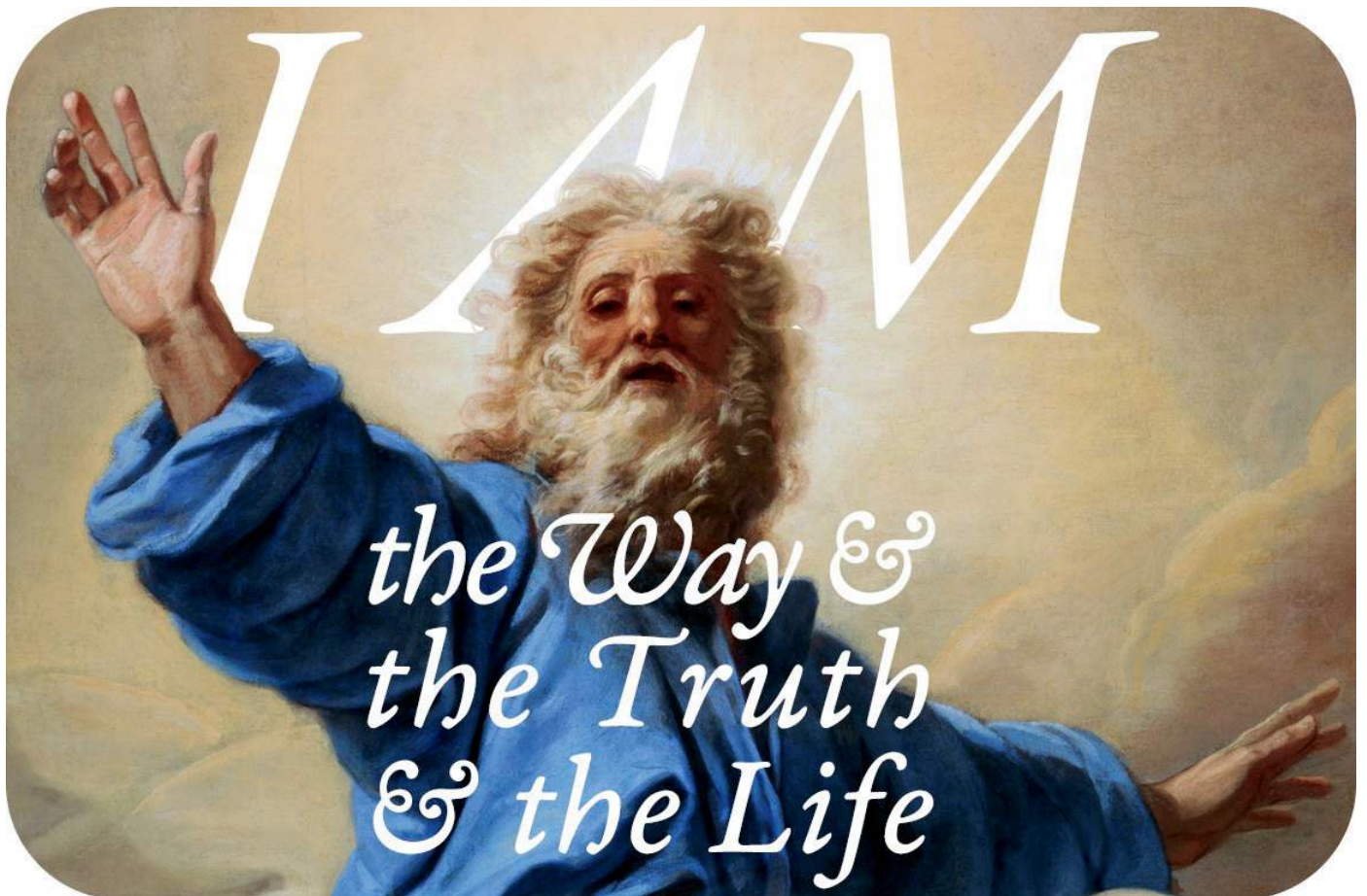
**Mass Schedule** Saturday · 4:30pm Sunday · 8:30 & 11:00am

Weekday · 9:00am Vigil of the Holy Day 6:30pm  
(except for 12/31 4:30PM) Holy Days 9:00am & 6:30pm

**Confessions:** Saturday 3:00 to 4:00pm

& Tuesday Morning After Mass

**The Sacrament of Baptism** Please call the parish office to schedule. **The Sacrament of Marriage** is celebrated throughout the year. Diocesan policy requires that engaged couples begin sacramental preparations with a priest at least nine to twelve months before the desired wedding date. Please call the parish office for details at 717-642-8815.



Fifth Sunday of Easter

May 3, 2026

## Our Stewardship

April 26, 2026

<b>St. Mary</b>		<b>St. Rita</b>	
April 26	\$2,520.85	April 26	\$2,702.66

LORD, LET YOUR MERCY  
BE ON US, AS WE PLACE  
OUR TRUST IN YOU.

## Scripture Readings For the Week of May 3, 2026

<b>Sunday</b>	<b>Fifth Sunday of Easter</b> Acts 6:1-7; Ps 33:1-2, 4-5, 18-19; 1 Pt 2:4-9; Jn 14:1-12
<b>Monday</b>	Acts 14:5-18; Ps 115:1-2, 3-4, 15-16; Jn 14:21-26
<b>Tuesday</b>	Acts 14:19-28; Ps 145:10-11, 12-13ab, 21; Jn 14:27-31a
<b>Wednesday</b>	Acts 15:1-6; Ps 122:1-2, 3-4ab, 4cd-5; Jn 15:1-8
<b>Thursday</b>	Acts 15:7-21; Ps 96:1-2a, 2b-3, 10; Jn 15:9-11
<b>Friday</b>	Acts 15:22-31; Ps 57:8-9, 10 and 12; Jn 15:12-17
<b>Saturday</b>	Acts 16:1-10; Ps 100:1b-2, 3, 5; Jn 15:18-21
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>Sixth Sunday of Easter</b> Acts 8:5-8, 14-17; Ps 66:1-3, 4-5, 6-7, 16, 20; 1 Pt 3:15-18; Jn 14:15-21

<i>St. Mary</i>	<i>Extraordinary Ministers</i>	<i>Lectors</i>	<i>Altar Servers</i>	<i>Ushers</i>
5/9 5:00pm	B. Liska/D. Sanders/D. Ritchie	M. Grist	Volunteers	Volunteers
5/10 8:00am	D. Lehmer/K. & L. Farabaugh	S. Ranney	Volunteers	Volunteers
5/10 10:30am	P. Leister/A. Bohn/A. Polosky	B. Carr	Volunteers	Volunteers
<i>St. Rita</i>	<i>Extraordinary Ministers</i>	<i>Lectors</i>	<i>Altar Servers</i>	<i>Money Counters</i>
5/9 4:30pm	A. Sanders	J. Kuhn	Volunteers	5/10 M. Lawrence
5/10 8:30am	E. Luttrell/J. Lowrie	D. Fawks	Volunteers	5/17 J. Kenney
5/10 11:00am	M. Brennan/K. Reed	P. Cliber	Volunteers	5/24 A. Hauryski

### St. Mary Mass Intentions

Saturday 5/2	8:00am	† Monsignor Doug Hennessy
	5:00pm	Intentions of David & Monica Liska
Sunday 5/3	8:00am	† Margaret McCleaf
	10:30am	People of the Parish
Monday 5/4	8:00am	† Ted Tyler
Tuesday 5/5	8:00am	Intentions of Sherry Grenchik
Wednesday 5/6	8:00am	Intentions of Roger Liska
Thursday 5/7	8:00am	† Melvin John Losovsky
Friday 5/8	8:00am	† Michele Maturo
Saturday 5/9	8:00am	Intentions of the Campolong Family
	5:00pm	† Jim Ritchie
Sunday 5/10	8:00am	All Mothers Living and Deceased
	10:30am	All Mothers Living and Deceased

### St. Rita Mass Intentions

Saturday 5/2	9:00am	† Maurice Oubre
	4:30pm	† Heidi Richardson
Sunday 5/3	8:30am	† Thomas Cahill
	11:00am	People of the Parish
Monday 5/4	9:00am	† Heidi Brennan
Tuesday 5/5	9:00am	† D. Marlene Luttrell
Wednesday 5/6	9:00am	† John Scilleppi
Thursday 5/7	9:00am	† Sophia Marie Scigliuto
Friday 5/8	9:00am	† Marlene Luttrell
Saturday 5/9	9:00AM	† Fr. Sigfrid Troche MSSCC
	4:30pm	† Marlene Ulrich
Sunday 5/10	8:30am	All Mothers Living and Deceased
	11:00am	All Mothers Living and Deceased

Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary & St. Rita

**St. Mary's Flowers in the Sanctuary are** in honor of our Blessed Mother, donated by Langton Family.

**St. Rita's Flowers in the Sanctuary are** in memory of Stephy Resetar, donated by Jerzy & Alison Ridenour Kornilow.

**St. Mary's Donut Social** for Sunday, May 3rd will be held after the morning Masses. It will be held in the Parish Hall. Everyone is invited.

**St. Rita's Donut Social** for Sunday, May 17th will be held after the morning Masses. It will be held in the Parish Hall. Everyone is invited.

**Prayer Shawl Meeting**  
Monday, May 11th, at 8:30AM at St. Mary's Church. All are welcome.

**Knights of Columbus Council** 12250 Meeting will be held at 7:30PM on Monday May 11th, at the St. Mary's Church.

**St. Rita's Ladies Society Meeting** next meeting will be Wednesday, May 13th at 9:45AM in the parish hall. All ladies of the parish are invited to attend.

**St. Mary's Parish Pastoral Council Meeting** There will be a meeting Thursday, May 7th at 7PM in the back classroom. All members please attend.

**St. Rita's Parish Pastoral Council Meeting** There will be a meeting Thursday, May 14th immediately after mass in the church hall. All members please attend.

**Anointing of the Sick and Prayers for Healing at Both Parishes** will be offered Sunday, May 17 after the second morning Mass at both churches.. You are welcome to come forward if you have any illness, debilitating chronic infirmities, advanced age, forthcoming surgery and recovery from surgery.

**PRAY for those who are Sick** Sharon Aanensen, Tom Miller, Avery, Craig Cruttenden, Carol Schorn, Joy Brown, Irene & Bernard Zaborowski, Gordon & Mary Ann Shuman, Mike Bunch, Rick & Paulette Nidel, Rose Crespo, Richard Storm, Philip Ulzheimer, Larry & Donna Weikert, Jackie Weikert, Mary Jo Losovsky, Ok Cha Jones, Mary Little, Lottie Pecher, Nancy Berry, Marilyn Crawford, Pete Crawford, Joyce Speelman, Wilbur Martin, James Campbell, Mary Catherine Nagengast, Katharina Brewer, Ann O'Toole, Noah Trimmer, Benjamin Sites, John J. Brennan, Christine Schriver, Natalee McClain, John Wheeler, Gail Pagac, Lauren Becker, Sandy Fox, Barbara Williams, Steve Hoke, Joe Sass, Alexis Shuman, Johnny Parkolay, Allie Freesland, Duke Bovey, Mary McGlaughlin, Roger & Donna Butt, Gene Pecher, Barb, Amy, Joani Patterson, Lilah Zepp, Rane Miller, Stephen Pauley, Nate O'Bradovich, Paul Miller, Greg Farkas, Jodi Trio, Alicia Poslosky, Dorothy Faulkner, Paisley Topper, Ann Kauffman, Fr. Chris Haydinger, Tim Pickett, Arnold Gee, Barbara MacPherson, Dennis Topper, Matthew Baker, Roger Topper, Dr. Thelma Steiger, Becky Sites, Grant Copinger, Margaret Freesland and Barb Lowrie. Please pray for the repose of the soul of Sylvia Bloom.

**Holy Day of Obligation** Thursday, May 14th is the Ascension of the Lord, Masses at St. Mary's will be Wednesday, May 13th, at 6:30PM and Thursday 8AM & 6:30PM. Masses at St. Rita's will be Wednesday, May 13th, at 6:30PM and Thursday 9AM & 6:30PM.

**There will be a Second Collection** at both Churches for the repairs and maintenance of the property.. Thank you for your generosity.

**DAC Diocesan Annual Campaign "Faithful Stewards"** If you haven't given to the DAC there are envelopes at the entrances to the Churches. St. Rita's has collected \$17,233 of the \$23,404 goal. St. Mary's has collected \$20,400 of the \$26,561 goal. Thank you for your generosity in helping to make the DAC goals.

**St. Rita's & St. Mary's Altar Flowers** in honor or memory of a loved one or special occasion. Cost for the 2 altar vases is \$50 - Donation may be placed in an envelope marked flowers with your intention and preferred date. Please call the parish office or email-maryrita256@comcast.net to confirm date.

St. Rita's dates are May 24 & 31, June 7, 21 & 28, July 5, 12, 19 & 26, August 2, 23 & 30, Sept 6, 20 & 27, Oct 4, 11, 18 & 25, Nov 1, 8 & 15.

St. Mary's dates are June 21 & 28, July 5, 12 & 19, August 23 & 30, Sept 13, 20 & 27, Oct 4, 11, 18 & 25, Nov 1, 8, 15 & 22.

**St. Mary's Adoration** Please join us for Adoration at St. Mary's on Wednesdays from after the morning Mass until 6:00 pm and Fridays until 3:00 pm. If you can commit to a weekly hour, please contact Karen Graff (717-408-5537 or [piratefans@comcast.net](mailto:piratefans@comcast.net)). We are especially in need of another adorer on Wednesdays for the 3:00 hour and Fridays for the 1:00 hour. "In order to convert America and save the world what we need is for every parish to come before Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament in Holy Hours of prayer." (St. Teresa of Calcutta).

**St. Mary's Spring Tea:** PCCW will be hosting a Tea on Sunday, May 17 at 2:00 PM at St. Mary's Church. Admission is \$20 per person. All ladies are welcome and there will be a prize for the best hand-crafted hat! Tickets will be sold after all Masses on the weekend of May 2/3 or contact Kelli Powell at [mapkmp17@msn.com](mailto:mapkmp17@msn.com) or 642-5100 to reserve your seats. \*\*Advance reservations are required by May 10. No tickets will be sold at the door.

**Knights of Columbus Scholarship** (2) \$2,000 Scholarships will be awarded. Applications are available in the vestibule of the church at St. Rita's. The deadline for the return of the application is May 27, 2026. For more information, please contact: Terry Shockey at 717-655-0999 or [tshockey3@comcast.net](mailto:tshockey3@comcast.net)

**Bulletin Announcements** must be submitted to the parish office 10 days before the bulletin date. Thank you



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