

# CHURCH OF THE RESURRECTION

**PASTORAL CENTER**  
349 MORRIS ST. CLYMER PA 15728

**PHONE: 724-254-3041**  
**(IN THE 814 AREA CODE) 800-378-1130**  
**FAX NUMBER: 724-254-3045**



**PARISH OFFICE HOURS**  
**9:00 AM TO 4:00 PM MONDAY—THURSDAY**  
**9:00 AM TO 12:00 PM FRIDAY**

**VISIT US ON THE WEB:**  
**WWW.CHURCHRESURRECTION.ORG**

**LIKE US ON FACEBOOK!**



CLYMER

ERNEST

GLEN CAMPBELL

HEILWOOD

ROSSITER



*A Parish of the Diocese of Greensburg*  
*A Pennsylvania Charitable Trust*

**SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 19, 2023**

## PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

We, the faithful of Resurrection Parish, seeking to grow as disciples of the Lord Jesus Christ, are committed to proclaiming his Gospel by our words and actions in the community of Northern Indiana County, that we may build up the Kingdom of God and continually form new disciples.

### PARISH STAFF

**Reverend James B. Morley, Pastor**  
jmorley@dioceseofgreensburg.org

**Reverend Keon Tu OFM Cap.**  
*Sacramental Assistance*  
KTu@dioceseofgreensburg.org

If you have an Emergency & are in need of a priest after hours,  
please call (582) 400-5924

**Reverend Mr. Stephen Black, Permanent Deacon**  
sblack@dioceseofgreensburg.org

**Mrs. Leigh Shubra, Business Manager**  
lshubra@dioceseofgreensburg.org

**Mrs. Brittany Barnes, Parish Secretary**  
bbarnes@dioceseofgreensburg.org

**Mrs. Marie H. Kirsch, Coordinator of Faith Formation**  
mhkirsch@dioceseofgreensburg.org

**Mrs. Terri Polenik, Office Assistant**  
tpolenik@dioceseofgreensburg.org



**33<sup>RD</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**



*"Well done, my good and faithful servant." – Mt 25:21*

**Sacrament of Baptism:** By appointment. Catechesis is required.

**Sacrament of Reconciliation:** First Friday of the Month at 9:30 AM in Rossiter and the First Saturday of the Month at 11:00 AM in Clymer. Weekdays after morning Mass. You may also call the office to schedule an appointment.

**Sacrament of Marriage:** Arrangements must be made in person at least six months in advance. Please contact the Pastor to make arrangements.

**Parish Registration/New Members:** If you are new in the parish, we welcome you and invite you to complete a confidential census form to complete your membership. Parish membership is required to be a sponsor, to get married in the parish, or to have a child baptized.

**(RCIA) Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults:** Anyone interested in obtaining more information on the Catholic Church or interested in becoming Catholic, please contact the parish office.

## Father Jim's Thoughts for the week...



**Question:** How do I know if I am growing or regressing in the spiritual life? My life seems tense lately, but I am praying faithfully each day. Am I doing something wrong? Is the Lord testing me?

**Answer:** When we begin to develop a prayer life with the Lord by responding to *His* promptings to grow, we often experience quick results. It seems very affirming! This assistance of the Lord is great! We gain new clarity about our life, we see obstacles and challenges differently in the light of God's Will, and we look forward to the rewards of a faithful prayer life! Usually, this fast result experience does not remain. Why? Because it is not meant too. The Holy Spirit shapes us and forms us as we grow. Our will is redirected, and this requires some periods of dryness in our prayer life. Times of tension...or periods of challenge and lack of affirmation are all part of growing. There is one very important ingredient to remember. If the Holy Spirit is allowing us to go through a time of desolation, it could be for our growth.

**Witness from my own prayer life:** Every time I have grown in closeness to the Lord, it has started with the catalyst of tension. I see it has a prompting to seek the Lord more firmly. Earthly concerns diminish and my need for the Lord increases. Seeking the Lord in prayer firmly during these times of desolation always help clarify my needs and redirect my disordered human will to God's Will! I like to call these "Level Ups" in the spiritual life! Are you in need of a Level up? Are you experiencing desolation?

**Pro-tip:** Always leave anything that could distract you (a phone for example) in another room when you enter into time with the Lord in prayer. Choose a time to prayer more deeply with no distractions when you are not waiting for work calls and typically do not receive calls. Undistracted time with God is essential for growth. If you are ill and may need to get a hold of someone for emergencies, then that is certainly the exception. But if not, try to keep this in mind as I do!

1 Corinthians 7:35 (NAB)

*"I am telling you this for your own benefit, not to impose a restraint upon you, but for the sake of propriety and adherence to the Lord without distraction."*



### Fall Bake Sale - This Weekend!

Each site will host a bake sale this weekend after all Masses. Please help support this fundraiser by purchasing some delicious baked goods made by fellow parishioners. As always, Thank you for your kindness and generosity!

### NOVEMBER 25TH & 26TH WEEKEND MINISTRY SCHEDULE



	<u>Site</u>	<u>Time</u>	<u>Lector</u>	<u>E. Minister</u>	<u>Server</u>
<b>Saturday, Nov. 25th</b>	Heilwood	4 pm	Linda L	Sandy	Simon
	Clymer	6 pm	Charlie	Kathy N	Packs
	Glen Campbell	6 pm	Layden	Dian	Julie & Ryan
<b>Sunday, Nov. 26th</b>	Rossiter	8:30 am	Teresa		
	Heilwood	9 am	Linda K	Marie	John & Drew
	Ernest	10:30 am	Priscilla	Jan S Little	Liam
	Clymer	11 am	Pete	Kay	Blakes

#### PASTORAL COUNCIL MEMBERS

##### Mrs. Bridget Polenik - Facilitator

Linda Benko      George Deabenderfer  
Sandy Greene      Tom Lester  
Rebecca Lingenfelter      Maureen Pounds  
Tina Semon

#### FINANCE COUNCIL MEMBERS

##### Ms. Betty Geneva - Facilitator

Clayton Lamer  
Matthew Polenik  
Steve Reinoehl  
Julie Roof

#### BUILDINGS & GROUNDS MEMBERS

##### Deacon Stephen Black - Facilitator

Sandra Black      John Hardesty  
Frank Johns      Clayton Lamer  
Peter Larme      Mark Little  
Steve Reinoehl      Jerry Roof  
Jerry Shipe

**CEMETERY - Clayton Lamer**



## READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF November 19, 2023

Sunday: Prv 31:10-13, 19-20, 30-31/Ps  
128:1-2, 3, 4-5 (see 1a)/1 Thes 5:1-6/Mt  
25:14-30 or 25:14-15, 19-21  
Monday: 1 Mc 1:10-15, 41-43, 54-57, 62-63/Ps  
119:53, 61, 134, 150, 155, 158/Lk 18:35  
-43  
Tuesday: 2 Mc 6:18-31/Ps 3:2-3, 4-5, 6-7/Lk  
19:1-10  
Wednesday: 2 Mc 7:1, 20-31/Ps 17:1bcd, 5-6,  
8b and 15/Lk 19:11-28  
Thursday: 1 Mc 2:15-29/Ps 50:1b-2, 5-6,  
14-15/Lk 19:41-44  
Friday: 1 Mc 4:36-37, 52-59/1 Chr 29:10bcd,  
11abc, 11d-12a, 12bcd/Lk 19:45-48  
Saturday: 1 Mc 6:1-13/Ps 9:2-3, 4 and 6, 16  
and 19/Lk 20:27-40



## SANCTUARY LAMP Nov. 20 - December 3, 2023 BURNING IN MEMORY OR INTENTION OF:

### CLYMER

In thanksgiving for  
Fr. Jim & Fr. Keon  
and their ministry to our parish

### ERNEST

In loving memory of  
the deceased members of  
the Lightcap Family  
by Dan & Lora Evanick

### HEILWOOD

For the Babco & Adamson Families  
by Jill

### ROSSITER

In loving memory of  
Butch Janocha  
by wife Patty

**YOU MAY REMEMBER A LOVED ONE  
OR ANY PERSONAL INTENTION** by  
lighting the Sanctuary Lamp. This can be  
done by placing a donation of \$10.00 along  
with the name of the intention and placing it  
in the collection basket. The intention will be  
placed in the bulletin for a period of two  
weeks.

## THIRTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

### Saturday, November 18

4:00 PM (Heilwood) - Barbara "Benko" Yarusinsky †  
by Sandy Walsh †  
6:00 PM (Clymer) - Sheri Greenawalt by Joe Sokol †  
6:00 PM (Glen Campbell) - David Matko by brother Dan Matko †  
SCI Pine Grove Mass - Karen Brunetto by Family †

### Sunday, November 19

8:30 AM (Rossiter) - Mark A. Miller by Family †  
9:00 AM (Heilwood) - Mass for the People †  
10:30 AM (Ernest) - Walter Ligas by Lucille †  
11:00 AM (Clymer) - Blanche Busovicki †  
by daughter Bunny Busovicki

### Monday, November 20 - Weekday

9:00 AM (Glen Campbell) - Father Lawrence Hoppe by Jerry Peles †

### Tuesday, November 21 - The Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary

9:00 AM (Ernest) - Teresa Liu by son, Father Keon †

### Wednesday, November 22 - Saint Cecilia, Virgin & Martyr

9:00 AM (Heilwood) - Joan "Sissy" Fernandez Mroskey †  
by Carrie Mroskey & JoJo

### Thursday, November 23 - Weekday

9:00 AM (Clymer) - Mike Mackanos by sister, Michele Rapach †

### Friday, November 24 - Saint Andrew Dung-Lac, Priest & Companions & Martyrs

9:00 AM (Rossiter) - **NO AM MASS**

## OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST, KING OF THE UNIVERSE

### Saturday, November 25

4:00 PM (Heilwood) - Bruce Sweeley by John & Tina Semon †  
6:00 PM (Clymer) - William Yackuboskey by daughter, Cindy †  
6:00 PM (Glen Campbell) - Lynn Freno by Husband †  
SCI Pine Grove Mass - Joe Schatko †  
by John & Gabrielle Witmer

### Sunday, November 26

8:30 AM (Rossiter) - Mary Ryen by Daughter & Family †  
9:00 AM (Heilwood) - Flory Stupic †  
by Greg, Christina, Tessa & Bennett Lieb †  
10:30 AM (Ernest) - Mass for the People †  
11:00 AM (Clymer) - Thomas Weaver by Richard Weaver †

## Children's Liturgy of the Word Corner



**Thirty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time: Proverbs 31:10, 12, 20, 26, 28, 31; Psalm 63; Matthew 25:14-30**



**Prayer of the Day:** *Most generous God, we cannot count the wonderful gifts you have poured into our lives. Above all, you have given us your Son, Jesus, who has shown us the way to our home with you. Make us wise in using these gifts so that they will be for the benefit of everyone. Open our hearts to the world so that we may spread the Good News about Jesus, who lives with you forever and ever.*

These two readings don't seem to be related, but they can be in a sense if you look at them both as being related to using our talents. Everyone has a talent or something special they are good at even children. Some children have a talent for making everyone happy. They may not do anything special, but just by talking into a room, they make everyone smile and feel happy. Others have the ability to tell stories or jokes and make even the sick feel better and forget about their problems. In the first reading, a woman is compared to being "more precious than jewels since she does good all the days of her life". Matthew's Gospel is very long, but it is really saying not to hide our talents but to use them. Some are called to teach. Others are called to help others. Even being a mother or father or a priest is using your talents. Not everyone is called by God to do the same things. Discover what you are good at and use that talent wisely.

### Thanksgiving Prayer

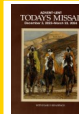
This Thanksgiving, let us remember all the good things and people, who have come into our lives. We focus on thanking each one who has helped us and ultimately thank God for the good gifts of this world.

Let us pray...

God our Father,  
Graciously accept from your humble people a thankful heart & spirit.  
Everything we have and are able to share with others,  
ultimately comes from your love of your creations.

Often we think that everything we have is our own creation; we ask you this day to create in us a spirit of gratitude, that we may always know that all good gifts come from you.

We ask this through Christ our brother,  
in the power of the Holy Spirit.  
Amen.



**TODAY'S MISSAL** with daily readings that begin on December 3rd, 2023 and end on March 23rd, 2024 are now available. If you're interested, we ask that you make a donation to the church to offset the cost of the missals. Please contact Brittany at the Parish Office 724-254-3041 to get your copy. There are a very limited number of missals available!



The Rosary Society of the Church of the Resurrection will be holding a Christmas Party on **Sunday, December 10th, 2023** at Luigi's Restaurant in Clymer. We would like to extend an invitation to all ladies of the parish to this event.

Social will begin at 1:30 PM and Dinner will follow at 2:00 PM. Your choices for dinner are as follows: Chicken Parmesan, Fettuccini Alfredo, Lasagna or Cod Romano. This will include salad and beverage for the cost of \$15.00 per person.

We will have a gift exchange this year. If you wish to participate in the gift exchange, please bring a \$10.00 gift. If you are planning to attend, please return this form and payment by **Monday, December 4th.**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Choice:

Cod Romano

Fettuccini Alfredo

Lasagna

Chicken Parmesan

Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_



## October 2023 Calendar Ticket Winners



Date	Number	Name	Amt.
10/01/2023	515	Margaret Weaver	\$125
10/02/2023	985	Cathy Mumau	\$50
10/03/2023	256	Gloria Lamer	\$50
10/04/2023	217	Joan Stupic	\$50
10/05/2023	986	Mitzi Ballas	\$75
10/06/2023	585	Frank Ballas	\$100
10/07/2023	980	Stasia Pearce	\$100
10/08/2023	459	Albert Knapik	\$50
10/09/2023	581	Dian Matko	\$50
10/10/2023	500	Deacon & Sandy Black	\$50
10/11/2023	123	Betty Hrabesak	\$50
10/12/2023	711	Sharon Slater	\$75
10/13/2023	069	Shirlee Shiner	\$100
10/14/2023	415	Julie Soose	\$100
10/15/2023	474	COR Dev. Fund	\$50
10/16/2023	405	Marcie Clay	\$50
10/17/2023	840	Sharon Slater	\$50
10/18/2023	291	Frank Ballas	\$50
10/19/2023	687	Linda Ray	\$75
10/20/2023	713	Betty Sue Timko	\$100
10/21/2023	860	Chris Spenser	\$100
10/22/2023	624	Joan Stupic	\$50
10/23/2023	699	Yvonne Stahl	\$50
10/24/2023	951	Frank Ballas	\$50
10/25/2023	650	Debbie Morley	\$50
10/26/2023	979	Ed & Diane Miloser	\$75
10/27/2023	464	Elaine Altemus	\$100
10/28/2023	970	Mitzi Ballas	\$100
10/29/2023	637	Daniel Evanick	\$50
10/30/2023	039	Ann Deibert	\$125
10/31/2023	227	Albert Knapik	\$500

### FINANCE COUNCIL MEETING

Tuesday, November 21st  
6 PM at the Clymer Social Hall



THE PARISH OFFICE will be closed on Thursday, November 23rd thru Monday, November 27th for the Thanksgiving holiday. Normal office hours will resume on Tuesday, November 28th at 9:00 AM.



There will be **NO** 9 AM Mass in Rossiter on Friday, November 24th

**NO** Faith Formation classes will be held on Monday, November 27th



**2023 Advent Folders** are now available in the back of all Church sites. Please take a folder home with you.



For an easy way to give online please scan this QR code or visit our online giving site directly at:  
churchresurrection.weshareonline.org or  
visit Our website: churchresurrection.org  
(click on the GIVEONLINE button)



### STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE

October 21/22 - Collection

		Fiscal YTD
Adult	\$ 6,376.46**	108,564.16
Children	\$ 28.20	325.70
Loose	\$ 379.25	7,190.00
Project Fund	\$ 10.00	3,344.20
Fuel	\$ 32.00	907.00
Accent	\$ 183.00	1,514.00
Parish Needs	\$ -	450.00
Christmas/Easter	\$ -	-
<b>TOTAL COLLECTION:</b>	<b>\$ 7,008.91</b>	<b>122,295.06</b>
Cemetery	\$ 84.39	
All Saint's Day	\$ 6.00	
Thanksgiving	\$ 1.00	
Mission Co-op	\$ 23.82	
Mission Sunday	\$ 590.00	
Lease/Rental	\$ 3.00	
Donation - Mercy Meal	\$ 75.00	
FF Registration	\$ 100.00	
Marianna Hoagie Sales	\$ 1,860.00	
Fall Bake Sale	\$ 24.79	

\*\* Online included in totals \$ 1,756.66

### Save the Date! - Holy Land Presentation

December 3rd at 2:00pm  
Clymer Social Hall

Paul Hart will present: "Making the Scriptures Come to Life" with pictures from the Holy Land



Envelopes Issued: **593**  
Envelopes Returned: **242 (40.8%)**  
Offertory Average Gift: **\$ 26.35**  
Parish Debts/Arrears: **None**