

**ALL PARISH EVENTS ARE CANCELED TO EASTER**  
(No Masses, Stations of the Cross, closing Mass at St. Rose has been postponed, etc.)

**Churches open:**

- Churches will be open for private prayer. All hymnals, prayer aids and other papers have been removed from the church entrances and pews to facilitate regular cleaning and disinfecting. Churches will be locked during any funerals.
- At Saint Monica, the Blessed Sacrament has been moved from the Adoration Chapel into the church so there is more room for people to spread out. The church is open to all from 7am-7pm (only scheduled adorers are permitted after 7pm, the door is locked and you will need to ring the doorbell to be let in.) The church will be locked from 8:30am-10:00am Sunday-Friday to Live Stream Mass.
- At Saint Blaise, the church is open for private prayer from 7am-7pm.

**Masses:**

- Our Sunday 9am Mass will be broadcast on WBVP 99.3FM.
- We will be Live Streaming all 9am Masses Sunday-Friday on the Saint Monica Parish public Facebook page. The link will be available on both parish websites. And the recording of the Mass will be available on the YouTube channel "Upper Room".

**Sacraments:**

- No public Mass or distribution of the Eucharist, but our priests will offer a Mass privately each day and encourage everyone to join their prayers and offer an Act of Spiritual Communion.
- Baptisms outside of Mass & Funeral Masses can take place with immediate family only.
- Anointing of the Sick offered on a case-by-case basis, typically in danger of death only as care facilities are locked-down for safety reasons.
- Confession permitted in larger spaces and will continue as normally scheduled:  
Saint Monica--Tuesdays at 7pm and Saturdays at 5pm, in the Mary Room  
Saint Blaise--Saturdays at 12noon in the Cry Room
- Easter Vigil and First Holy Communion schedules to be determined as we see how this progresses, no impact as of yet.
- Thankfully we have a fall Confirmation, no impact as of yet.
- All sacrament prep—RCIA, Confirmation, Elementary Religious Ed—is done meeting for the school year. You will be notified by your program coordinator of any lessons or other work to be completed at home. If you have any questions, please contact your program coordinator.

**Bulletin:**

- No parish bulletins will be printed while Mass is suspended.
- Please check the parish websites (<http://www.saintmonica.us/> or <https://www.stblaiseparish.com/>) for bulletin uploads and for current information. If you can't find what you're looking for, call or email the Parish Office:  
St. Monica: 724-846-7540 or [office@saintmonica.us](mailto:office@saintmonica.us)  
St. Blaise: 724-643-4050 or [office@stblaiseparish.com](mailto:office@stblaiseparish.com)

**Offertory:**

- Donation envelopes can be mailed to the Parish Office:  
Saint Blaise Parish, 772 Ohio Avenue, Midland, PA 15059 (Office Hours: Monday-Thursday 9am-2pm)  
Saint Monica Parish, 116 Thorndale Drive, Beaver Falls, PA 15010 (Office Hours: Monday-Friday 9am-4pm)
- Envelopes may also be dropped in Lock boxes located in both churches. St. Monica's is located on the Sacristy door and St. Blaise's is located in front of the Altar at the Communion Railing.

**Online Giving:**

Online giving is available for both parishes from the Saint Monica website: <https://www.osvonlinegiving.com/1495>

- Saint Blaise members, choose "Saint Blaise" from the donation list
  - Saint Monica members: you have multiple options, but to replace what you would put in the basket, select "Weekly Offertory"
- Community outreach will continue throughout this time. The food bank, Martha's Meals, and cooking/distribution of meals for students in Beaver Falls are all running, more programs may be added/expanded depending on what the needs in the area are. If you would like to help in any way, or know of a need that we could address, please contact Rosanne Fairley at 724-846-7540 ext. 5 or [charity@saintmonica.us](mailto:charity@saintmonica.us).

**Saint Monica Academy:**

- To contact the school office call 724-846-5955 and leave a message, they will be checking messages or email [office@saintmonicaacademy.org](mailto:office@saintmonicaacademy.org)