

**UPDATED NEWS  
GREEN PHASE GUIDELINES**

- **Bishop Schlert has announced that parishes in the diocese move to Green Phase, Part 1 effective June 29, 2020.**
- **St. Rocco's will continue with our modified Mass schedule:**
  - **Weekday Mass—Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday & Friday at 8:00 am**
  - **Weekend Mass—Saturday 4:30 pm and Sunday, 8:00 am and 10:30am**

The Dispensation from the Obligation to attend Mass continues throughout the Green Phase.  
No one is obliged to attend Mass.

**While in the Green Phase Guidelines will be strictly followed at ALL Masses.**

We are limited to 50% of the church's seating capacity which is 100 people, however in order to maintain social distancing we can only accommodate 25% of our capacity which is 50 people in the church and 50 in the church hall.

Social Distancing Guidelines will be in force: Ushers will assist with seating for weekend Masses. Only every other pew will be used for seating. At least 6-foot space between you and anyone you do not live with. Any overflow of attendance will be expanded into the church hall. Chairs will be set-up and spaced appropriately. We will live-stream the Mass to a large screen television and after Mass we will have Eucharistic Ministers distribute Communion.

Please remember that face masks are **REQUIRED** to be worn at all times while in the church. Hand sanitizer will be available.

Those who do not feel safe or who have compromising health conditions, should not attend. If you do not feel well, please do not attend.

Holy Communion will be distributed at the end of Mass. If you choose to receive on the tongue, please wait to get in line until after all those receiving by hand have received.

We will continue to stream and post our Sunday 10:30am Mass on our Facebook page for those who choose to remain at home at this time. Our parish website is updated with links available for online giving, the bulletin, and livestreaming videos of Sunday Mass on Facebook search St. Rocco's Catholic Church: <https://www.strocco.org>.

All hymnals and pamphlets/prayer cards have been temporarily removed from Church due to the difficulty of keeping them disinfected.

**WEEKLY OFFERING**

If you are not able to attend Mass, please continue to submit your weekly offering envelopes:

Mail your envelopes to: St. Rocco's Church 6658 School St. PO Box 421 Martins Creek, PA 18063

Sign-up for Online Giving available through our parish website: [www.strocco.org](http://www.strocco.org) – There are 2 options available under the PARISH STEWARDSHIP section.

Drop-off your envelopes in the Depository Box in the church vestibule or at the rectory mail slot.

In these times of uncertainty and daily life disruption, we thank you for continuing to support St. Rocco's Church!

Let us continue to pray that the Lord will protect our communities and our families from this deadly virus.

The rectory office is open Monday's, Wednesday's and Thursday's from 9am to 4pm. If you have any questions or concerns, please call 610-258-9059 or email [strocco@enter.net](mailto:strocco@enter.net) and we will get back to you as soon as possible for any time sensitive concerns.