

ST. JOHN THE EVANGELIST CATHOLIC CHURCH

134 East Bishop Street, Bellefonte, PA 16823

June 16th, 2024/ 11th Sunday in Ordinary Time



MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday: 5:00 p.m.

Sunday: 8:00 a.m. & 10:15 a.m.

**Weekday: Varies—see weekly
Mass schedule**

**St. Kateri Church: 12:00 p.m.
Sunday**

CONFESSION

Saturday: 4:00 p.m.—4:30 p.m.

RECTORY OFFICE HOURS

Monday-Thursday 8:30 a.m.—1:00 p.m.
Closed Friday

CONTACT US

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www.bellefontecatholicchurch.org

Join us on FlockNote!

Text "SJ814" to the number 84576

PARISH STAFF

Fr. Brian Saylor, Pastor | Deacon Tom Boldin
Fr. Joshi Prasanth, HGN, Parochial Vicar
Lorraine Fello and Rose Truglio: Office Staff
Kristina Tice: St. John School Principal
Tony and Paula Roland: Directors of Rel. Ed.
David Harry: R.C.I.A. Coordinator
Deacon Tom & Shirley Boldin:
Confirmation Directors
Natalie Stanton: Music Ministry Coordinator
Joe Baummer: Maintenance

SACRAMENTS

Confession: Saturday 4:00-4:30 p.m.
Baptism: Call the rectory
R.C.I.A.: Call the rectory
**Marriage: Notify pastor 9 months
in advance**

Masses for the week

Saturday, June 15

5:00 PM Paul Davidson (Mary Jane Davidson)

Sunday, June 16

8:00 AM Deceased members of Worrick Family
(Joe & Loretta Worrick)

10:15 AM For the health of Sherri Gehringer
(Deacon Tom & Shirley Boldin)

Monday, June 17

9:00 AM For the health of Susan DiLembo
(Sandy Rogus)

Tuesday, June 18

8:00 AM Michael Braddock (Barbara Sevinsky)

Wednesday, June 19

8:00 AM Joseph Mensah (Rose Truglio)

Thursday, June 20

6:00 PM Gary Livermont (Helen & Lonnie Lowry)

Friday, June 21

8:00 AM Anna Kushwara (Rose Marie Kushwara)

Saturday, June 22

5:00 PM John Capparella (Vickie Wolfe)

Sunday, June 23

8:00 AM Sylvia Swartz (Susan Swartz)

10:15 AM For the health of Jeanne Thompson
(Deacon Tom & Shirley Boldin)

Eucharistic Minister/Lector Altar Server/Music

Saturday, June 22 5:00 pm

Eucharistic Ministers: Stephanie Mullin/Volunteer
Lector: Stephanie Mullin
Servers: Evelyn Edmonson
Music: Natalie Stanton

Sunday, June 23 8:00 am

Eucharistic Ministers: Adam Rawding/Volunteer
Lector: Kevin Trimpey
Servers: Sarah McElhinny/Matthew DeRemer
Music: David Harry

Sunday, June 23 10:15 am

Eucharistic Ministers: Carolyn Marshall/Volunteer
Lector: Michael Jurewicz
Servers: Claire & Harrison Hoover
Music: Youth

200th ANNIVERSARY OF THE FIRST MASS IN ST. JOHN

PARISH: On Thursday June 27th at 6:00 PM in honor of the first Mass said in 1824 in our Parish. Bishop Mark will Celebrate with a reception to follow in the school auditorium. Please join us in celebrating this important event.

ASTRONAUTS IN SPACE!

A Journey in Faith

*The Command Center communicates to the astronauts
just as God communicates to you and me!*

Please "Save the Date" for Vacation Bible School

July 29-August 1, 6:30pm-8:00pm

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL Registration forms are on the table in the back of the church.



SCRIPTURE READINGS

Sunday, Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

Ez 17:22-24; Ps 92:2-3, 13-14, 15-16; 2 Cor 5:6-10; Mk 4:26-34

Monday, Weekday

1 Kgs 21:1-16; Ps 5:2-3ab, 4b-6a, 6b-7; Mt 5:38-42

Tuesday, Weekday

1 Kgs 21:17-29; Ps 51:3-4, 5-6ab, 11 and 16; Mt 5:43-48

Wednesday, Weekday

2 Kgs 2:1, 6-14; Ps 31:20, 21, 24; Mt 6:1-6, 16-18

Thursday, Weekday

Sir 48:1-14; Ps 97:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 7; Mt 6:7-15

Friday, Memorial of Saint Aloysius Gonzaga, Religious

2 Kgs 11:1-4, 9-18, 20; Ps 132:11, 12, 13-14, 17-18; Mt 6:19-23

Saturday, Weekday

2 Chr 24:17-25; Ps 89:4-5, 29-30, 31-32, 33-34; Mt 6:24-34

Sunday, Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Jb 38:1, 8-11; Ps 107:23-24, 25-26, 28-29, 30-31; 2 Cor 5:14-17; Mk 4:35-41

PARISH DIRECTORIES: The Parish Directories have arrived. We will be distributing the directories before and after Mass for the next two weekends. After that you may pick them up at the Rectory Office during regular office hours.

Weekly events

Monday, June 17

9:30 AM Adoration

BAPTISM CLASS DATES 2024: Families who would like their first child baptized must attend a baptism class. The remaining classes for 2024 are: September 8, & December 8. For additional information or questions contact Deacon Tom Boldin at 814-355-4234(H) or text to 814-883-8123 or email stboldin@verizon.net

PARISH PICNIC Please join us for the Parish Picnic Sunday, June 30, 2024 at Governor's Park Pavillion #3 at 12:00 noon. **All** food and beverages will be provided. Come and fellowship with your fellow parishioners!

Knights of Columbus

The Bellefonte Knights extend a very Happy Father's Day to all Dads. This is the weekend we will be collecting the Baby Bottles in support of our Pro Life efforts. If your forgot to bring them, No Worries, just return your Bottles next weekend and place them in the containers located at the Main entrance of the church. The Knights "Thank You" in advance for your support of our Third Annual Pro-Life Campaign.



BOX OF JOY St. John's in Stitches sewing group is excited to coordinate the Christmas "Box of Joy" program through Cross Catholic Outreach this year. Our goal is to provide 100 shoeboxes for children (in 3 age groups: 2-4 yrs, 5-9 yrs, 10-14 yrs) in Haiti, Central America and South America. The shoeboxes will be filled with various items like school supplies, toys and necessities. While the program won't start in earnest until the middle of August, we didn't want to miss summer sales and summer related items that are currently in the stores. If you are interested in shopping now, please consider the following items:

- Youth Flip-Flops
 - Youth Sunglasses
 - Shorts and t-shirts (ages 2-14, both male and female)
 - Solid colors/neutral images
 - Hats
 - Summer Dresses
 - School Supplies (notebooks, stickers, glue sticks, flashcards, small board books etc) *Please note that we do not need crayons; they have already been purchased.*
- What to do with your items? You can either hang on to them until we set out collection bins mid-summer or you can drop them off at the rectory office. Look for our official Box of Joy kick-off in mid-August. Thank you!

Weekly Financial Report

For the Weekend of June 9, 2024

ORDINARY COLLECTION INCOME RECEIVED:

Adult Offertory (regular & online):	\$ 6,071.00
Loose Offertory:	\$ 2,258.00
Latin Mass Offertory	\$ 414.00
Children's Offertory:	\$ 6.00
Special Monthly:	\$ 915.00
<u>Votive Candles:</u>	<u>\$ 171.50</u>
ORDINARY TOTAL:	\$ 9,835.50

EXTRA ORDINARY INCOME RECEIVED:

Maintenance:	\$ 775.00
Cemetery	\$ 0.00
<u>Local Family Assistance</u>	<u>\$ 0.00</u>
EXTRA ORDINARY TOTAL:	\$ 775.00

ORDINARY & EXTRA TOTAL: \$10,610.50

SCHOOL COLLECTION: \$ 295.00

SPECIAL COLLECTIONS: (Diocesan or Other)

Father's Day	\$ 1,181.00
Peter's Pence	\$ 50.00
Holy Name of Mary	\$ 25.00
Missionary Coop	\$ 45.00

Thank you for your generosity!

2024 Catholic Ministries Drive Goal

\$54,443.00

\$29,125.00 as of May 31, 2024

The greatest of gifts: Holy Sacrifice of the Mass

If you would like to have a Mass celebrated for a special occasion, on behalf of a family member, a friend, or a deceased loved one, please contact the rectory at St. John (814-355-3134).

We are happy to offer the Mass for your intentions. Mass cards are available to let the person or their family know the Mass is being offered for them or their loved ones.

NORTHERN DEANERY WINNERS: 1st prize Mike Burns #7267, 2nd Prize Lisa Peajack #6667, 3rd Prize Candi Benton #5990, 4th Prize Ralph Hershberger #1088

St. Kateri Tekakwitha Church

P.O. Box 159, 3503 Penns Valley Rd Spring Mills, PA 16875 | www.stkaterichurch.org | Rev. Brian Saylor, Pastor

Mass is celebrated Sunday at 12:00 Noon | Confession: 1st Sunday after Mass (1:00 pm)

MASS INTENTIONS

Sunday June 16

12:00 PM Tim Turner & Family
(Jan & Millie Turner)

Sunday June 23

12:00 PM Robert Stanton
(Polly & Bill Epright)

WEEKLY COLLECTION TOTALS (regular & online)

June 2, 2024 \$1,170.00

June 9, 2024 \$1,603.00

HOSPITALITY

No hospitality until after Labor Day. Enjoy your summer!

ROSARY at St. Kateri is prayed before Mass most Sundays beginning at 11:30 am. Why not come a little early to church that day to pray the rosary to Our Lady with us! Contact Millie Turner (mlt3557@verizon.net) if you would like to lead the rosary on occasion.

LECTOR SCHEDULE

June 16 Deb Cusatis
June 23 Jim Hodgson

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTER SCHEDULE

June 16 Gail Anderson
June 23 Sister Judy

COMMUNION SERVICE

There will be a Communion Service this Tuesday, June 18th at 11:00AM.

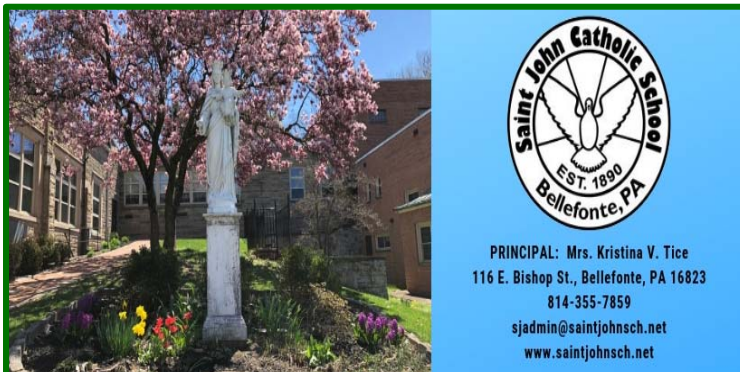
2024 Catholic Ministries Drive Goal
St. Kateri \$8,770.00
\$16,925.00 as of May 31, 2024

Vincent de Paul Thrift Store: June is National Smile Month—you'll smile when you see our table with **BRAND NEW** items. Special assortment of **New/like-new high-quality sneakers** now available: *Shoes are boring...wear sneakers!* Check out our large selection of **household appliances**. Traveling this Summer? We've got a large collection of luggage and purses! **Please volunteer with the SVdP Thrift Store:** we desperately need folks to accept donations. This job is rewarding—you'll be amazed at the wonderful things donated to our Store. And while you need to lift bags and boxes, if a box is too heavy, you can cut the load in half by putting some of the items in a second box. The Store is open 10AM-4PM, Monday through Saturday: volunteers usually take a morning shift 10AM-1PM or an afternoon shift from 1-4PM one day a week, but if you can only give an hour or two, we can set it up, so you split the shift with another volunteer. Thanks so much for your support in our mission to help those in need in our community. Stop by the Store at 1300 Benner Pike and speak with a Day Manager about volunteering or call 814-867-3131.

Please pray for those serving in the military

LTC Jason Meier, US Army
LTC William Smith, US Army
MAJ Michael R. Kranch, US Army
CPT Everett K. Benson, US Army
CPT Alexis Franks, US Army
CPT Peter J. Muto, US Army
CPT Nicholas Taylor, US Army
2LT Caleb Eyster, US Army
SFC Eric Callahan, US Army
SSG Matthew Bickle, US Army
LtCol Tim Jackson, USMC
LtCol T.J. Valley, USMC
Maj Jared Swancer, USMC
Maj Alaina Valley, USMC
CPT Andrew Malia, USMC
LCDR Jared T. Hallahan, US Navy
LT Joshua Malia, US Navy
LT Patricia Wilson, US Navy
LT Steven Wright, US Navy
ENS Matthew Goodpaster, US Navy
CWO James Decker, US Navy
PO2 Andrew Kaschalk, US Navy
CPT Olivia Hale, US Air Force
2d Lt Caleb Gindhart, US Air Force
2d Lt Jacob Nieto, US Air Force
MSgt Joseph Trimpey, US Air Force
SrA Shane Kaschalk, US Air Force
A1C Ethan Scicchitano, US Air Force
SFC Patricia Markle, Army Nat'l Guard
SGT Toby Dugal, Army Nat'l Guard
PFC Kaleb Weaver, Army Nat'l Guard
CPT James Bickle, US Army Reserve
Col Gordon Frankenfield, Air Nat'l Guard
SSgt Eric Roberts, Air Nat'l Guard
MSgt Kristina Roberts, Air Guard
PV2 Trevor D. Cort, US Army

DON'T TAKE A VACATION FROM YOUR FAITH. Tune into WJVM 90.3-FM & WEJO 104.7-FM this summer! Although our schedules change during the summer months, you can still catch our programming during these longer days. And when traveling outside our broadcasting area, you can "listen live" via the station link [@www.waob.org](http://www.waob.org). If you would like to record a prayer, contact Sheryl Balkey at (814) 238-6288 or voiceofdivinemeracy@gmail.com. Remember, just \$100/day keeps our Catholic voice on the air. Our 501(c)3 organization is volunteer-run and your tax-deductible donation may be mailed to: Voice of Divine Mercy, PO Box 862, State College, PA 16804-0862. We receive no direct funding from the local parishes or diocese.



MEMORIALS & DONATIONS

Alumni Support: J. Ronald Hughes

Lunch Program: Rich and Linda Struble

Thank you to all our benefactors and God bless your generosity to and support of our school.

Time and Talent: Thank you to everyone who assists us throughout the year in a variety of volunteer capacities. We are so grateful to each and every one of you. A special thank you to Chris Berenty, Bob Kucas, Ed Mulfingher, Don and Sarah Nagel, Genny Robine, Stan and Tanya Sechrist, Jim and Nancy Swartzell, Tracy Thorp, and Brian Yangula for always being willing to help with any situation. Also, a very special thank you and our extreme appreciation to the following loyal group of weekly and substitute lunch and recess monitors for their generosity of donated time, sometimes in less than ideal weather conditions: Deb Ardire, Teresa Bodle, Lucy Brezler, Aimee Brown, Jenn Brungard, Julie Burns, Debbie and Fred Caldwell, Travis Carlson, Carol Fisher, Jean Gerber, Aimee Levandoski, Karen Moore, Melissa Price, Tracy Thorp, Rose Truglio, Katherine Turco, and Sharon Yangula.

PRE-K GRADUATION

Our Pre-K Graduation was held in the Church on May 29. It was an evening filled with many smiles and much joy! The students did a fabulous job with their graduation ceremony. It has been a blessing to spend the last two years with these students. Thank you to Mrs. Sarah Damian, Mrs. Kelly Berkey, and Mrs. Amy Clark. We are so grateful for our wonderful teachers.

SCHOOL COUNCIL

Thank you to our School Council members who spend time throughout the year helping to make Saint John School the best it can be. Our 2023-2024 members were Matthew Martin(chair),Jennifer Brezler, Laura Cunningham, Carol Fisher, Tim O'Donnell, Fred Smithmyer, and Brian Stauffer. We appreciate their dedicated service to our school!

HOME and SCHOOL ASSOCIATION

Thank you to our 2023-2024 officers for their great service over the past year and for all they have done for our students and school. Thanks doesn't seem enough, but we hope you understand just how grateful we are. Thank you to Katherine Turco (President), Jessica Hallman (Vice-President), Aimee Levandoski (Treasurer), and Kelley Nasoni (Secretary). They are a blessing to Saint John School!

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

Saint John School has the following employment opportunities for the 2024-2025 school year:

Pre-K Teacher/Director

Physical Education Teacher

If you have any interest in the above opportunities, please contact Mrs. Kristina Tice at principal@saintjohnsch.net or contact the school office.

SUMMER HOURS Saint John School ends for summer break on Friday, May 31, with an 11:30 a.m. dismissal. Our summer hours will be Wednesdays from 8:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., beginning June 12, or by appointment. Feel free to call and leave a message as we will be answering phones and scheduling appointments throughout the week. You can also email sjadmin@saintjohnsch.net or twendt@saintjohnsch.net.