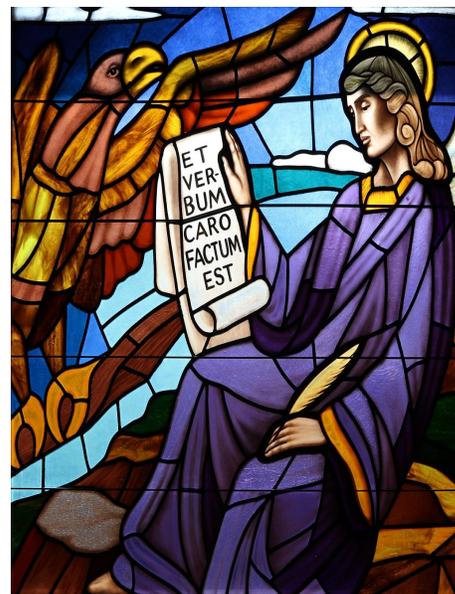
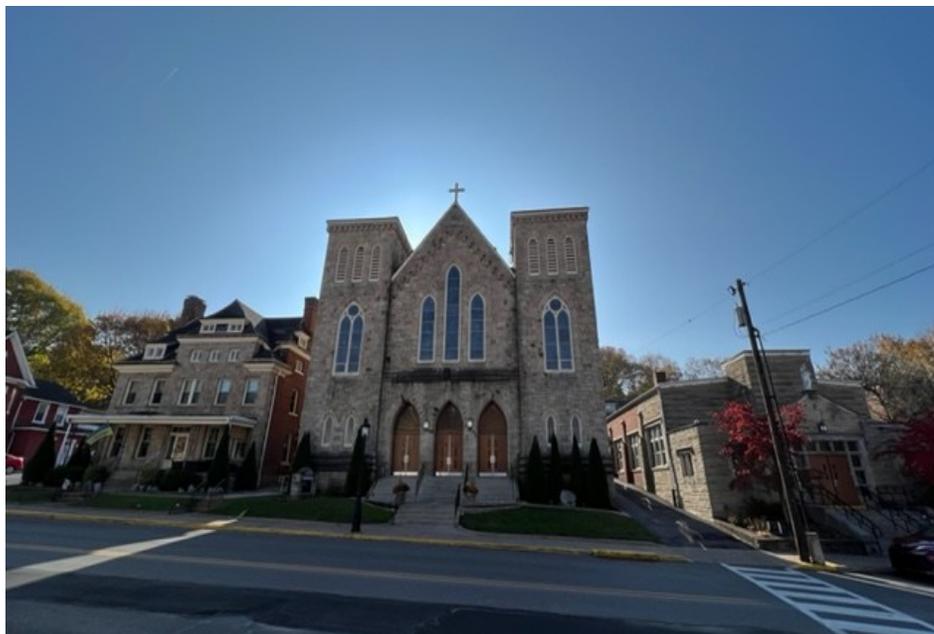


ST. JOHN THE EVANGELIST CATHOLIC CHURCH

134 East Bishop Street, Bellefonte, PA 16823

August 11th, 2024/ 19th 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

(814) 355-3134 | saintjohnsoff@gmail.com
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, August 10

5:00 PM Jerome Basalla (Wife, Genny)

Sunday, August 11

8:00 AM Carol J. Mazur (The Nagel Family)

10:15 AM 55th Anniversary of Mike & Sharyn Pavone (Mike & Shayn Pavone)

Monday, August 12

9:00 AM Kelsi Buckley (Mariah Lucas)

Tuesday, August 13

8:00 AM Richard & Suzanne Egli Family Living & Deceased (Richard & Suzanne Egli)

Wednesday, August 14

6:00 PM For the Intentions of Ana Gomes (Marilyn Bergner)

Thursday, August 15

9:00 AM Intentions of Dr. Fred Miller & wife Joan (Tom Bender Family)

Friday, August 16

8:00 AM Art & Deb Ardire (Family)

Saturday, August 17

5:00 PM Fred Buttenschon (Doug & Sharon)

Sunday, August 18

8:00 AM Deceased members of the Luckovich Family (Family)

10:15 AM Kristina Cleaver (Rich & Kim Fornicola)

Eucharistic Minister/Lector Altar Server/Music

Saturday, August 17 5:00 pm

Eucharistic Ministers: Michael Pavone/Volunteer
Lector: Lucia Stover
Servers: Elizabeth & Elliott Brezler
Music: Joe Lexon

Sunday, August 18 8:00 am

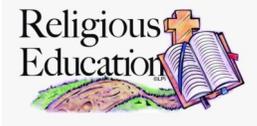
Eucharistic Ministers: Kevin Trimpey/Volunteer
Lector: Kevin Trimpey
Servers: Sarah McElhinny
Music: Stephen St. Amant

Sunday, August 18 10:15 am

Eucharistic Ministers: Mary Margaret Gorzelnik/Volunteer
Lector: Paul Dombrowski
Servers: Michael Herzing/Grayson Evans
Music: Jay Zimmerman

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

CCD TEACHERS NEEDED



St. John's CCD program is in need of teachers for the upcoming year. If you think you might be interested in sharing God's word with our students, please contact Paula or Tony Roland at proland@dioceseaj.org; tcroland@hotmail.com. Clearances are required and we can guide you through the process.

CONGRATULATIONS to David and Heather O'Brien parents of Torin Ezra O'Brien who was Baptized August 3, 2024. May they continue to grow in the faith.

HEALING THROUGH FAITH MEETINGS

Are you looking for an opportunity to talk about your grief with others who are experiencing similar feelings? All are welcome to join us as we support one another through our faith. Grief can come from the death of a loved one, loss of job, divorce, health issues and many other situations in life. The next monthly morning session will be held on the Wednesday, August 14th at 9AM in the Rectory dining room which is easily accessible. Please note, the evening session in August will be on the 22nd at 6:30PM in the rectory basement. For more information call Ed Mulfinger at 280-2755, Connie Davis at 355-1280 or Barbara Materna at 359-0354

SCRIPTURE READINGS

Sunday, Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

1 Kgs 19:4-8, Ps 34:2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9; Eph 4:30—5:2; Jn 6:41-51

Monday, Weekday

Ez 1:2-5, 24-28c; Ps 148:1-2, 11-12, 13, 14; Mt 17:22-27

Tuesday, Memorial of Saint Pontian, Pope and Martyr and Saint Hippolytus, Priest and Martyr

Ez 2:8—3:4; Ps 119:14, 24, 72, 103, 111, 131; Mt 18:1-5, 10, 12-14

Wednesday, Memorial of Saint Maximilian Kolbe, Priest and Martyr

Ez 9:1-7, 10:18-22; Ps 113:1-2, 3-4, 5-6; Mt 18:15-20

Thursday, Solemnity of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Rv 11:19a; 12:1-6a, 10ab; Ps 45:10, 11, 12, 16; 1 Cor 15:20-27; Lk 1:39-56

Friday, Memorial of Saint Stephen of Hungary

Ez 16:1-15, 60, 63 or Ez 16:59-63; Is 12:2-3, 4bcd, 5-6; Mt 19:3-12

Saturday, Weekday

Ez 18:1-10, 13b, 30-32; Ps 51:12-13, 14-15, 18-19; Mt 19:13-15

Sunday, Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Prv 9:1-6; Ps 34:2-3, 4-5, 6-7; Eph 5:15-20; Jn 6:51-58

Weekly events

Sunday, August 11 12:00 PM Latin Mass
Wednesday, August 14 6:00 PM Vigil Mass
Assumption
Thursday, August 15 9:00 AM Mass Assumption

CHURCH DIRECTORIES

If you had your picture taken for the directory, submitted a picture for the directory or ordered a copy of the directory and have not picked it up, please pick it up from the Church office during regular office hours. Thank you

CENTRE VOLUNTEERS IN MEDICINE (CVIM)

We Need Nurses! Nurse Open House on August 14th from 5-6 pm at Centre Volunteers in Medicine, 2026 Sandy Drive, State College.
FREE Liability Coverage, Flexible Scheduling.
Open Monday—Friday 8:00 am—4:30 pm.

Bishop Mark Bartchak and the Family Life

Office cordially invite all couples celebrating 1, 5, 10, 15, 20, 25, 30, 35, 40, 45, 50, 55, 60+ years of marriage in 2024 (and their families) to attend the **Annual Wedding Anniversary Liturgy**. Couples may attend Sunday, **September 8 in ALTOONA** at Cathedral of the Blessed Sacrament.
Sunday, **September 15 in JOHNSTOWN** at St. John Gualbert Cathedral. Both locations are handicap accessible. Liturgies in each location begin at 2:00 p.m. Most Rev. Bishop Mark will be the celebrant and homilist at each celebration. Refreshments/snacks will be available after the mass for anniversary couples and their families.

Reservations must be made through your parish for either celebration by Tuesday, August 27th.

FOCUS MISSIONARY: This weekend Aug. 10 and 11 Mark Weakland, a FOCUS missionary from Saint Francis University will be visiting St. Johns and speaking briefly at the end of Masses.



SAVE THE DATE! Bus trip to the American Music Theatre November 21, 2024 to see Joy to the World the 2024 Christmas Show.

Weekly Financial Report

For the Weekend of August 4, 2024

ORDINARY COLLECTION INCOME RECEIVED:

Adult Offertory (regular & online):	\$ 8,573.65
Loose Offertory:	\$ 1,058.00
Children's Offertory:	\$ 8.00
Special Monthly:	\$ 1,630.00
Votive Candles:	\$ 174.46

ORDINARY TOTAL: \$ 11,444.11

EXTRA ORDINARY INCOME RECEIVED:

Maintenance:	\$ 585.00
Cemetery	\$ 0.00
Local Family Assistance	\$ 20.00

EXTRA ORDINARY TOTAL: \$ 605.00

ORDINARY & EXTRA TOTAL: \$ 12,049.11

SCHOOL COLLECTION: \$ 501.00

SPECIAL COLLECTIONS: (Diocesan or Other)

Holy Name of Mary	\$ 2,340.00
Assumption	\$ 40.00

Thank you for your generosity!

2024 Catholic Ministries Drive Goal

\$54,443.00

\$30,158.00 as of June 30, 2024

St. Vincent de Paul Thrift Store:

August Special: NEW

'LuLaRue' overstock sale! Featuring comfortable leggings, tops, skirts and dresses!

August "move-in" sale! Featuring a large selection of home goods/household items.

Check out our selection of new bridal party dresses.

Traveling this summer? We have an ample collection of luggage and purses.

Come join our Family of Volunteers: We need both cashiers and donations volunteers. Stop by our Thrift Store at 1300 Benner Pike during our open hours Monday-Saturday 10 AM -4 PM for a tour or to learn how the Society serves those in need in our community. You can also speak with a Day Manager about volunteering or call 814-867-3131. Thank you so much for your support of our mission.

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, August 11

12:00 PM Betty Tornatore (Diane Klena)

Sunday August 18

12:00 PM Lewis Turner
(Jan & Millie Turner)

WEEKLY COLLECTION TOTALS (regular & online)

July 28, 2024 \$ 771.00

August 4, 2024 \$1,415.50

Holy Name of Mary \$ 220.00

HOSPITALITY

No hospitality until after Labor Day. Enjoy your summer!

LECTOR SCHEDULE

August 11 KB Boomer
August 18 Deb Cusatis

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTER SCHEDULE

August 11 Sandy Rockey
August 18 Shelly Ash

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.

COMMUNION SERVICE

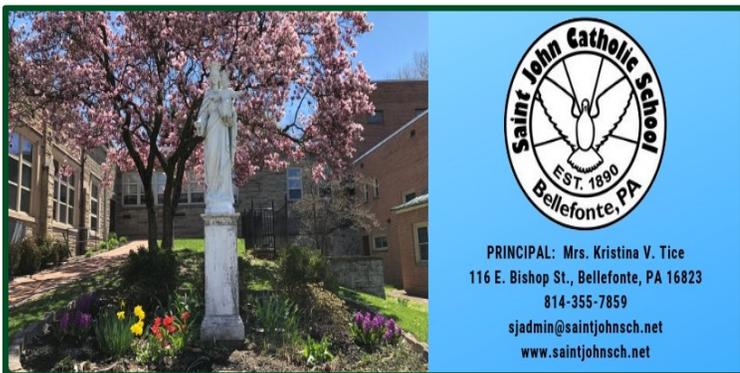
There will be a Communion Service this Tuesday August 13th at 11:00AM. followed by Adoration.

2024 Catholic Ministries Drive Goal
St. Kateri \$8,770.00
\$17,925.00 as of June 30,2024



Vacation Bible School – Thank you to Father Brian, Father Joshi and Deacon Tom and all the volunteers who worked for weeks, praying, planning and brainstorming to make our **Astronauts in Space** Vacation Bible School a wonderful success. Thank you for your vision, dedication and outpouring into the 40 children (grades K-5) who attended. A very special thanks to the Catholic Daughters for sponsoring the event. The themes this year were the **Moon a time for Growth**, the **Stars a time for Faith**, the **Sun a time for Obedience** and the **Earth a time for Trust**.

Astronauts in Space – A Journey in Faith



MEMORIALS & DONATIONS

Angel Fund (assists families to meet their tuition requirements): In Memory of Haranin, Davis, and Ivicic Family from Constance Davis

School Collection (July): \$2,274.00

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

WELCOME - We are pleased to announce that all our teaching positions are filled for the upcoming school year. Not only that, but they are also filled with people who have a true love for Saint John School! How blessed are we?

PRE-K TEACHER - We are excited to introduce Mrs. Kelly Berkey as our new Pre-K teacher, a dedicated and long-standing member of our Saint John School family. With a connection spanning 18 years, she has served in various roles, demonstrating her unwavering commitment to our school and its values.

For over a decade, she has worked directly with our Pre-school and Pre-K students, enriching their lives with her passion for early childhood education. Her deep love for our school and our students is evident in everything she does, making her the perfect fit for this important role.

We are thrilled to have Mrs. Berkey take on this new position and are confident that her experience, dedication, and love for our community will continue to make a positive impact on our youngest learners.

Please join us in welcoming Mrs. Berkey as our new Pre-K teacher!

PHYSICAL EDUCATION - We are thrilled to announce that Mr. Justin Packer will be joining us as our new Physical Education teacher at Saint John School. Mr. Packer has always been a dedicated member of our school family, consistently stepping in to help in various capacities.

Coming from a long line of passionate educators, Mr. Packer embodies the spirit and commitment we value at Saint John. He expressed his excitement for this new role, stating, "I am honored to be stepping up as the physical education and health teacher. While I've been involved with the school before, this is an exciting new adventure. I look forward to being a part of the Saint John family and can't wait to start this school year."

Please join us in welcoming Mr. Packer to this new and exciting position. We are confident that his enthusiasm and dedication will inspire our students to stay active and embrace healthy lifestyles.

We are excited for another great year at Saint John School!

SUMMER HOURS

Saint John School summer hours are Wednesdays from 8:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. 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.

2024-2025 SCHOOL YEAR

Thursday, August 22 – Kindergarten Kick-Off – 6:15 to 7:00 p.m.

Sunday, August 25 – Mass/Blessing of the Backpacks @ Governors Park – 4 p.m.

Tuesday, August 27 – New school year begins for K-5th grade (full day)

Wednesday, August 28 – 4-year-old Pre-K Orientation – 9-10 a.m.

Thursday, August 29 – 3-year-old Pre-K Orientation – 9-10 a.m.

Friday, August 30, and Monday, September 2 – No School in observance of Labor Day

Tuesday, September 2 – School Resumes and first day of Pre-K

We look forward to seeing everyone soon!

Around the Diocese

ST. PATRICK FESTIVAL IN THE SHADE

731 Patrick Lane, Newry PA
Friday, August 9 & Saturday, August 10, 5:00 PM to 10:00 PM; Sunday, August 11, 3:00 PM to 7:00 PM
Free entertainment, games, baked goods, food, raffles, quilt & craft booth (in school basement), flea market.

SOUNDS OF SUMMER CONCERT by Christopher Benos. Sunday, August 18, 2024 at 3:00 PM Saint John the Evangelist Church, 309 Lotz Avenue, Altoona, PA 16602