

# ST. JOHN THE EVANGELIST CATHOLIC CHURCH

134 East Bishop Street, Bellefonte, PA 16823

October 27th, 2024/ 30th 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-Friday 8:30 a.m.—1:00 p.m.

### CONTACT US

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Text "SJ814" to the number 84576

## PARISH STAFF

Fr. Brian Saylor, Pastor | Deacon Tom Boldin  
Fr. Joshi Narisetti, 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, October 26

**5:00 PM** Sr. M. Majella Foreso (Fr. Brian)

## Sunday, October 27

**8:00 AM** Carol Repasky (Nicole Niemi)

**10:15 AM** Deacon Joeseeph Mazarkiewicz  
(Deacon Tom and Shirley Boldin)

## Monday, October 28 SS Simon & Jude

**9:00 AM** For the health of Jill Kane (Anne)

## Tuesday, October 29

**8:00 AM** For the health of Debbie Jabco  
(Dorothy Masullo Lambert)

## Wednesday, October 30

**8:00 AM** Valerie Jean Salerno  
(Rosemary Truglio)

## Thursday, October 31

**6:00 PM** Nancy Palfey (Files Family)

## Friday, November 1 All Saints

**9:00 AM** Richard Tessitore (Marilyn Bergner)  
For the Unborn (CDA Court #448)

## Saturday, November 2

**9:00 AM** All Souls

**5:00 PM** Donald & Vilma Anspauch  
(Anspauch, Neidigh, & Kowalski Families)

## Sunday, November 3

**8:00 AM** Deceased Members & Chaplains  
(CDA Court #448)

**10:15 AM** Betty Dodge (David Dodge)

## Eucharistic Minister/Lector Altar Server/Music

### Saturday, November 2 5:00 pm

Eucharistic Ministers: Michael Pavone/Volunteer

Lector: Bib Polak

Servers: Elizabeth & Elliott Brezler

Music: Stephen St. Amant

### Sunday, November 3 8:00 am

Eucharistic Ministers: George Callahan/Volunteer

Lector: Lucia Stover

Servers: Sara McElhinny/Matthew DeRemer

Music: Traditional

### Sunday, November 3 10:15 am

Eucharistic Ministers: Kevin King/Volunteer

Lector: Teresa Jurewicz

Servers: Kamdyn Brungard/Alexis Fisher

Music: Folk

# Religious Education

## CCD grades k-10

Sundays 9-10 AM in the school

October 27th- Class

November 3rd- Class, K & 1st grade CCD Mass

November 10th- Class

November 17th- Class, 2nd grade CCD Mass

## 11th Grade Confirmation Class

Sundays from 11:15 am-12:30 pm in the school auditorium

Sunday, October 27 - No Morning Class

Sunday, October 27 - Parents Meeting 7:00 pm in the church - \*\*\*Candidate and at least one parent must be present

Sunday, November 3 - No Class

Sunday, November 10- Class

Sunday, November 17- No Class

Questions - please contact Deacon Tom & Shirley Boldin at 814-355-4234(H) or text to 814-883-8123 or email at [stboldin@verizon.net](mailto:stboldin@verizon.net)

**BAPTISM CLASS DATES 2024:** Families who would like their first child baptized must attend a baptism class. The remaining class for 2024 is December 8. Class dates for 2025 are March 9, June 8, September 14, December 14. 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](mailto:stboldin@verizon.net)

## SCRIPTURE READINGS

### Sunday, Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Jer 31:7-9; Ps 126:1-2, 2-3, 4-5, 6; Heb 5:1-6; Mk 10:46-52

### Monday, Feast of Saints Simon and Jude, Apostles

Eph 2:19-22; Ps 19:2-3, 4-5; Lk 6:12-16

### Tuesday, Weekday

Eph 5:21-33; Ps 128:1-2, 3, 4-5; Lk 13:18-21

### Wednesday, Weekday

Eph 6:1-9; Ps 145:10-11, 12-13ab, 13cd-14; Lk 13:22-30

### Thursday, Weekday

Eph 6:10-20; Ps 144:1b, 2, 9-10; Lk 13:31-35

### Friday, Solemnity of All Saints

Rv 7:2-4, 9-14; Ps 24:1bc-2, 3-4ab, 5-6; 1 Jn 3:1-3; Mt 5:1-12a

### Saturday, The Commemoration of All the Faithful Departed (All Souls)

Wis 3:1-9; Ps 23:1-3a, 3b-4, 5, 6; Rom 6:3-9; Jn 6:37-40

### Sunday, Thirty-first Sunday in Ordinary Time

Dt 6:2-6, Ps 18:2-3, 3-4, 47, 51; Heb 7:23-28; Mk 12:28b-34

## SANCTURY CANDLE

The Sanctuary Candle is in memory of  
Richard Tessitore  
From Marilyn Bergner

# Weekly events

Monday October 28                      1:00 PM St. Johns in Stitches

Friday November 1                      9:00 AM All Saints Day Mass and Pageant

Saturday November 2                      9:00 AM All Souls

# Knights of Columbus

**Judy Densvich Memorial All You Can Eat Soup and Salad Dinner:** Monday, October 28th at Bellefonte Knights of Columbus, 315 Stoney Batter, Bellefonte, PA 16823 (Up the hill from the Dollar General). Serving the public from 11AM-7PM, or until the soup runs out. Featuring at least 20 homemade soups, numerous salads, breads and plenty of homemade desserts. Cost is only \$10 for eat in or take out. Quarts of soup are also available to-go for only \$10. No advance tickets required, simply stop in and enjoy a great meal. You won't find a better deal anywhere! Benefits the Bellefonte Knights of Columbus.

**Knights of Columbus Soup & Salad Sale**  
The Knights of Columbus are requesting baked goods for the Judy & Frank Densvich Soup & Salad Sale on October 28, 2024. Baked goods can be dropped off 6 PM- 9:00 PM the evening before the sale or any time after 8:00 AM the day of the sale.

**St. John's in Stitches** will be meeting on Monday, October 28th at 1 o'clock in the rectory meeting room. We love to see new faces and hope you can join us.

## FOOD BANK

**Reminder: Food Bank donations are welcome, needed and collected year-round.** Please leave your donations of non-perishable food items or toiletries in the bin located in the vestibule just outside of the prayer room and beneath the large painting of the crucifixion. Our donations are taken regularly to the Faith Centre Food Bank. ***Thank you for your generosity.***

## NOTARY SERVICES

Michael Levandoski, a local attorney and parishioner at St. John's, is offering free notary services to St. John's parishioners as a service to the parish. He is in Bellefonte every Wednesday, and can be reached at mlevandoski@mkclaw.com to schedule an appointment.

# Weekly Financial Report

## For the Weekend of October 20, 2024

### ORDINARY COLLECTION INCOME RECEIVED:

Adult Offertory (regular & online):	\$ 6,075.15
Loose Offertory:	\$ 1,218.00
Children's Offertory:	\$ 4.52
Special Monthly:	\$ 425.00
All Saints	\$ 45.00
Votive Candles:	\$ 127.40
<b>ORDINARY TOTAL:</b>	<b>\$ 7,895.07</b>

### EXTRA ORDINARY INCOME RECEIVED:

Maintenance:	\$ 305.00
Cemetery	\$ 20.00
<u>Local Family Assistance</u>	<u>\$ 20.00</u>
<b>EXTRA ORDINARY TOTAL:</b>	<b>\$ 345.00</b>

**ORDINARY & EXTRA TOTAL:                      \$ 8,240.07**

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**SCHOOL COLLECTION:                      \$ 1,325.00**  
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### SPECIAL COLLECTIONS: (Diocesan or Other)

World Mission	\$ 584.00
All Souls	\$ 230.00
Hurricane Relief	\$ 2,995.00
Retired Priests Medical	\$ 20.00

*Thank you for your generosity!*

## **2024 Catholic Ministries Drive Goal**

**\$54,443.00**

**\$37,301.00 as of September 30, 2024**

## DIAPER DRIVE

The Catholic Daughters Diaper Drive continues year-round. You may leave your diaper donations in the bins in the vestibule outside of the small prayer room. These diapers are given to the Gabriel Project in State College.

## Our Lady of Lourdes Holiday Boutique

2700 Broad Ave. Altoona. Elevator Access!  
November 9, 2024 8AM-3PM Breakfast 8-10AM, Lunch 11AM-2PM Photos with Santa 11AM-1PM  
Crafts, Baskets, raffle, Kids Carnival, Jewelry, Homemade Lollipops, Bake Shoppe

# St. Kateri Tekakwitha Church

P.O. Box 159, 3503 Penns Valley Rd Spring Mills, PA 16875 | [www.stkaterichurch.org](http://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

<u>Sunday, October 27</u> 12:00 PM	Tim LaNasa (Jan & Millie Turner)
<u>Friday, November 1</u> 7:00 PM	Those Struggling with Mental Health
<u>Sunday, November 3</u> 12:00 PM	Georgia O'Brien (Jan & Millie Turner)

## LECTOR SCHEDULE

October 27	Norma Muck
November 3	Shelly Ash

## EUCCHARISTIC MINISTER SCHEDULE

October 27	Deb Cusatis
November 3	KB Boomer

**2024 Catholic Ministries Drive Goal**  
**St. Kateri \$8,770.00**  
**\$24,270.00 as of September 30, 2024**

## WEEKLY COLLECTION TOTALS (regular & online)

October 13, 2024	\$ 1,295.00
Priest Retirement	\$ 50.00
Hurricane Relief	\$ 200.00
October 20, 2024	\$ 1,190.00
Hurricane Relief	\$ 240.00

## HOSPITALITY

October 27	kb & Rick BB & Millie Turner
November 3	Stephanie Perrot and Susan Slenker
November 10	Connie Corl and 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](mailto:mlt3557@verizon.net)) if you would like to lead the rosary on occasion.

## COMMUNION SERVICE

There will be a Communion Service this Tuesday, October 29th at 11:00AM. followed by Adoration.

## CCD SCHEDULE

October 27-No CCD
November 3-CCD

### St. Vincent de Paul Thrift Store: October Specials!

- All Books & Media, BOGO Free!
- Need a Halloween costume? Come, see our large selection of costumes and accessories!
- **Fabric features** good-sized pieces of **Fancy Fabrics** suitable for prom dresses, mother-of-the-bride dresses and upscale Halloween costumes.
- **Fall is here! Check out our large collection of sweaters and coats!**

Get ready for Penn State Sports! PSU apparel at discount prices!

**Do you enjoy decorating your home for the different seasons throughout the year?** SVdP is looking for a volunteer (or volunteers) to decorate our Store as the seasons change. The Store receives wonderful decorations as donations, and we like to celebrate the seasons with bright and cheerful decoration set-ups each month. If you are interested in managing or helping with Store decorations, leave a message for Janet at 814-867-3131 or via email at [svdpolv@gmail.com](mailto:svdpolv@gmail.com).

**Thank you** to all who donated soup, bought soup and made donations to the fund raiser for the St. Joseph's and St. Labre Indian schools. The total was \$700! A big thank you to Terri McNitt for making her delicious rolls to go with the soup. Also, thanks to all the helpers! Many hands make for light work! You all are just the BEST! I will be sending \$350 each to the two Indian schools. Millie Turner-DRE

### Tune into WJVM 90.3-FM & WEJO 104.7-FM this fall!

Make room for Catholic radio in your fall schedule. When at home or traveling outside our broadcasting area, you can also "listen live" via the station link @ [waob.org](http://waob.org). On the production side, we are now scheduling "pray-ers" for our slots in October and November. If your family or group would like to pray this fall, contact Sheryl Balkey at (814)238-6288 or [voiceofdivinemercury@gmail.com](mailto:voiceofdivinemercury@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, so your faithful support is vital to our evangelization effort.





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**MEMORIALS & DONATIONS**

**Angel Fund:** Lucy Brezler

**School Lunch Program:** Nancy & Jim Swartzell

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

**ALL SAINTS' DAY PAGEANT**

Parishioners are invited to join us at the 9 am Mass on Friday, November 1, for our All Saints' Day Pageant presented by our 2nd grade class.

**DANKE! DANKE! DANKE! - A MESSAGE FROM OKTOBERFEST**

Our first Oktoberfest was a fantastic success, and we had an amazing time!

A huge THANK YOU to our incredible sponsors and donors (insert). A special THANK YOU to our Planning Committee for their dedication and months of hard work: Dave Provan, Matt Martin, Erin St. Amant, Donald and Sara Nagel, Kristina Tice, and Natalie Stanton. We also want to extend our deepest gratitude to the many additional volunteers who contributed both before and during the event: Rose Trulio, Michelle Russell, Rachelle Weiser, Joe and Holly Jaglowski, Katherine and Domenic Turco, Roger Nagel, Megan McGoron, Jessica and Bill Hallman, Curt Stanton, Doug Tice, Bib and Stefan Polak, Jean Gerber, Mary Park, Amy Beauton, Alison Martin, Dustin and Aimee Brown, Brittany Langan, Jen and Tom Brezler, Paula Brezler, Janie Provan, Doug Moerschbacher, Scott and Diane Burkett.

And a very special THANK YOU to The Little German Band of State College for bringing the night to life!

If we missed your name, please know that your contribution hasn't gone unnoticed. We are so grateful for all your help!

Stay tuned for the date of next year's Oktoberfest—we can't wait to do it all over again!

**RACE FOR EDUCATION**

Our annual Race for Education was held last Thursday. Please watch next week's bulletin for wrap-up information. Donations can still be made online at [www.saintjohnsch.net/race](http://www.saintjohnsch.net/race).

**TWINKLE TUESDAY**

Our first Twinkle Tuesday of the year was for all those affected from the hurricanes. Our school chose St. John Vianney Catholic School in St. Petersburg, raising \$800 for their school! A special thank you to the Catholic Daughters of America, Lucy Brezler, Paula Brezler, Karen Pipta, Christine & Jim Surovec, Mary Gindhart, and Helen Lowry for their donations to our Twinkle Tuesday. We continue to keep all those rebuilding from the hurricanes in your prayers, as well as those traveling into the devastated areas to help.

**SCHOOL SUBSTITUTES**

We are accepting applications for substitute teachers. Candidates must possess a valid Pennsylvania teaching certificate and be able to obtain all state and federal clearances. Candidates must be supportive of the mission of the Catholic Church and be able to provide for the academic and spiritual health of our students. Interested applicants should contact Kristina Tice at [principal@saintjohnsch.net](mailto:principal@saintjohnsch.net).

**WEIS4SCHOOL PROGRAM**

You can support Saint John School through your regular grocery shopping at Weis Markets!

**SAINT JOHN**  
**Oktoberfest**  
 Thank you to our  
 sponsors & donors

Phyllis Austin	Donald and Sara Nagel
Kerry Benninghoff	Mike and Melissa Price
Matt Coll	Dave and Janie Provan
Doksa Family	Rice Family
Suzanne Egli	Gloria Rogers
Hallman Family	Father Brian Saylor
Langan Family	St. Amant Family
Justin Leiter	Christine Surovec
Dan Martin	Doug and Kristina Tice
Joe and Phyllis Martin	Turco Family
Matt Martin	Jeffrey and Patricia Watson
McGoron Family	Greg and Tina Wendt

**The Little German Band of  
State College**

[St. John Home and School Association](#) will set up the "pop-up" Spirit Wear Store this weekend and sell for the next three weekends after all Masses.