

ST. JOHN THE EVANGELIST CATHOLIC CHURCH

134 East Bishop Street, Bellefonte, PA 16823

May 17, 2020 Sixth Sunday of Easter

*"I will ask the Father,
and he will give you
... the Spirit of truth."
— John 14:16-17*

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MASS SCHEDULE:

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

Saturday: 5:00 p.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.

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

RECTORY OFFICE HOURS:

Monday-Thursday: 8:30 a.m.—3:00 p.m.

Friday: 8:30 a.m.—12:00 p.m.

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Joe Baummer

Masses for the week

**Bishop Mark has suspended
all public Masses until further notice.**

The following Mass intentions for the week of
May 11th to May 17th will be said
privately by Fr. George:

- Marian Albarano
- Paul Proper
- Lilian and Timothy Boldin
- Wilma Suelter
- Rita Salerno
- Molly Sieg
- Mario Truglio

Michael Pleva



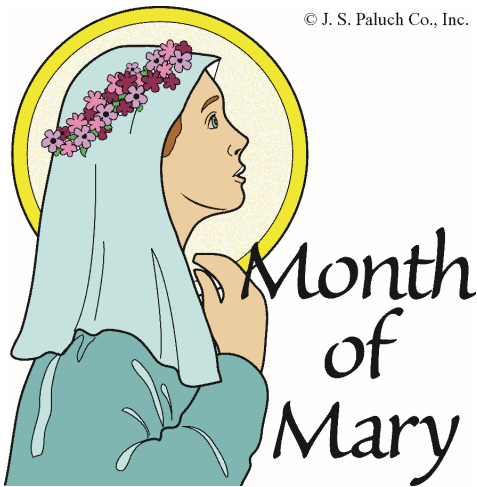
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MICHAEL PLEVA—ORDINATION

Our dear seminarian Michael Pleva will be ordained a deacon on **Saturday, May 30, 2020** at 10:00 am at the Cathedral of the Blessed Sacrament in Altoona. Unfortunately, because of the state's restrictions, guests are limited to family only. The ordination will be online—live streaming. More information on that soon. You may send your good wishes and cards to Michael here at the rectory. God bless you, Michael!

SANCTUARY CANDLE

The sanctuary candle this week is in memory of **Donald and Vilma Anspauch** requested by the Anspauch, Neidigh and Kowalsky Families.



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Knights of Columbus



UPDATES FROM THE KNIGHTS

May 17th Breakfast—**Cancelled**

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

- Monday:** Acts 16:11-15; Ps 149:1b-6a, 9b; Jn 15:26 — 16:4a
- Tuesday:** Acts 16:22-34; Ps 138:1-3, 7c-8; Jn 16:5-11
- Wednesday:** Acts 17:15, 22 — 18:1; Ps 148:1-2, 11-14; Jn 16:12-15
- Thursday:** Acts 1:1-11; Ps 47:2-3, 6-9; Eph 1:17-23; Mt 28:16-20 (for Ascension); otherwise Acts 18:1-8; Ps 98:1-4; Jn 16:16-20
- Friday:** Acts 18:9-18; Ps 47:2-7; Jn 16:20-23
- Saturday:** Acts 18:23-28; Ps 47:2-3, 8-10; Jn 16:23b-28
- Sunday:** Acts 1:12-14; Ps 27:1, 4, 7-8; 1 Pt 4:13-16; Jn 17:1-11a; or (for Ascension) Acts 1:1-11; Ps 47:2-3, 6-9; Eph 1:17- 23; Mt 28:16-20

MEMORIALS

St. John the Evangelist Church has received the following memorial donations:

In Loving Memory of...

Molly Sieg

from

Dan & Madeline Mattern
Gloria Rogers

Weekly Financial Report

For Weekend of 5/10/2020

ORDINARY COLLECTION INCOME RECEIVED:

| | | |
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| Adult Offertory: | \$ | 11,795.00 |
| Loose Offertory: | \$ | 1,920.00 |
| Children's Offertory: | \$ | 0.00 |
| Special Monthly: | \$ | 2,118.00 |
| Votive Candles: | \$ | 32.50 |
| ORDINARY TOTAL: | \$ | 15,865.50 |

EXTRA ORDINARY INCOME RECEIVED:

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| Easter: | \$ | 245.00 |
| Ascension: | \$ | 95.00 |
| Local Family Assistance: | \$ | 20.00 |
| Mother's Day: | \$ | 590.00 |
| Father's Day: | \$ | 135.00 |
| Cemetery: | \$ | 270.00 |
| Maintenance: | \$ | 475.00 |
| EXTRA ORDINARY TOTAL: | \$ | 1,830.00 |
| ORDINARY & EXTRA TOTAL: | \$ | 17,695.50 |

SCHOOL COLLECTION: \$ 546.00

SPECIAL COLLECTIONS: (Diocesan or Other)

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| Catholic Relief Services: | \$ | 5.00 |
| Rice Bowls: | \$ | 21.00 |
| Catholic Home Mission: | \$ | 93.00 |
| Holy Land: | \$ | 20.00 |
| Catholic Communications: | \$ | 20.00 |

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Parish News



NAME:

Signe Clukey
 Elizabeth Barr †
 Helen Polansky †
 Emily H. Beck †
 Dixie Mancuso †
 Mary Hartle †
 Martha Catalano †
 Millie Drapcho †
 Yolanda Menna †
 Vera Whitehill †
 Mary Kushwara †
 Davis & ALterio Mothers
 Mary Decker †
 Virginia Mclroy †
 Margaret Rogus †
 Ann Lutchko †
 Betty A. Lutchko †
 Rose M. Meter
 Winifred Ebeling †
 Helen Gutch
 Edith Krause
 Anna Godinsky †
 Anna Fellin †
 Connie Bucha

REQUESTED BY:

Rob & Beth Miller
 Polansky Family
 Polansky Family
 Virginia B. Yost
 Darlene Allegretto
 Elizabeth Catalano
 Elizabeth Catalano
 Jeff Drapcho
 Harry & Mary Whitehill
 Harry & Mary Whitehill
 Rose Marie Kushwara
 M/M Richard Davis
 John Decker
 Mary Lou Whitman
 Sandra Rogus
 C. Lutchko
 Mindy B. Terpak
 Her Family
 Barbara Gillespie
 Barb & Russel Gutch
 Barb & Russel Gutch
 Pat Fellin
 Pat Fellin
 Bob & Rhonda Bucha

Additional Mother's Day intentions requested by:

M/M Sam Brezler
 M/M Terry Neidigh
 Constance Davis
 M/M Ward Whitehill
 Caroline Hagelgans
 Ann Cavanaugh

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Diocesan News & Events

2020 CATHOLIC MINISTRIES DRIVE

DIOCESE OF ALTOONA-JOHNSTOWN



St. John's 2020 Goal: \$53,419.00

Consider ONLINE GIVING

It's fast, it's easy – the click of a button!

Parishioners can give through our secure, online giving portal. We accept VISA, MasterCard, American Express and Discover cards. We are also able to process e-checks directly from a donor's checking account.

From any page on the diocesan website:

dioceseaj.org

Click on "Giving"



which will lead you to the donation page.

Receipts are generated once a donor successfully makes their gift. Please print your on-line receipt to use for tax purposes.

UPDATE

St. John's parishioners (134 individuals) have pledged **\$37,179.00** to date!

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PO Box 862, State College, PA 16804-0862

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Our faith rests in God

MARRIAGE PREPARATION 2020

Are you engaged and planning to be married in the Catholic Church? Congratulations! The next step is to attend Marriage Preparation classes. The cost per couple is \$70. A full list of dates, places and times is online at www.dioceseaj.org (Ministries, Marriage Preparation).

Local classes will be held here at St. John the Evangelist October 13-20-27, 2020.

Please pray for those serving in the military:

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| LT Steven Wright, U.S. Navy | CPT James Bickle, U.S. Army Reserve |
| SSG Matthew Bickle, U.S. Army | LtCol Paul B. Wurster, U.S. Air Force |
| CPT Nicholas Taylor, U.S. Army | CWO James Decker, U.S. Navy |
| LTC William Smith, U.S. Army | Amn Chandler Ross, U.S. Air Force |
| LT Patricia Wilson, U.S. Navy | ENS Matthew Goodpaster, U.S. Navy |
| TSgt Joseph Trimpey, U.S. Air Force | LT Jared T. Hallahan, U.S. Navy |
| SrA Floyd Meeker III, U.S. Air Force | Maj Jared Swancer, USMC |
| ILT Peter J. Muto, U.S. Army | CMSgt Douglas Campbell, U.S. Air Force |
| SrA Shane Kaschalk, U.S. Air Force | PO2 Andrew Kaschalk, U.S. Navy |
| AIC Ethan Scicchitano, U.S. Air Force | TSgt Jacob Nieto, U.S. Air Force |
| SFC Eric Callahan, U.S. Army | SSgt Eric Roberts, Air Force Guard |
| SSgt Kristina Roberts, Air Force Guard | LtCol Gordon Frankenfield, U.S. Air Force |
| ZLT Caleb Gindhart, U.S. Air Force | PFC Kaleb Weaver, Army National Guard |
| SFC Patricia Markle, Army Nat'l Guard | PFC Alexander C. Brewster, USMC |
| SGT Brad D. Coder, Army Nat'l Guard | LT Joshua Malia, U.S. Navy |
| SPC Christian Callahan, PA Army Nat'l Grd | CPT Andrew Malia, USMC |
| MAJ Michael R. Kranch, U.S. Army | LTC Jason Meier, U.S. Army |
| PFC Hunter M. O'Neil, USMC | ILT Alexis Franks, U.S. Army |
| LtCol Tim Jackson, USMC | Maj Alaina Valley, USMC |
| Maj T.J. Valley, USMC | |

– If you would like to include a name of someone serving in the military please email or call the rectory office. Please include their rank and branch of service.

St. John School News



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KINDERGARTEN and PRE-K REGISTRATION FOR 2020-2021

Registration forms can be found online at www.saintjohnsch.net.

Children must be five years old before September 1, 2020, to be eligible for Kindergarten. We will need copies of birth certificate, baptismal certificate and immunization records, as well as a \$100 non-refundable fee to register. Since school buildings are currently closed, please email sjadmin@saintjohnsch.net for more information about our Kindergarten program.

Children must be three or four years old before September 1, 2020, to be eligible for our three-year-old and four-year-old Pre-K Program, respectively. Students currently enrolled in the three-year-old Pre-K must re-register for the four-year-old class. You will need copies of birth certificate and immunization records, as well as a \$100 non-refundable fee to register. Since school buildings are currently closed, please email www.saintjohnsch.net.

MEMORIALS & DONATIONS

We received a donation from Florence Hartle Stringer to the **Annual Giving Campaign**.

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



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