

# ST. JOHN THE EVANGELIST CATHOLIC CHURCH

134 East Bishop Street, Bellefonte, PA 16823

*Eighteenth Sunday  
in Ordinary Time*

August 2, 2020

Thus says the Lord:  
All you who are thirsty,  
come to the water!  
You who have no money,  
come, receive grain and eat;  
Come, without paying  
and without cost,  
drink wine and milk!

Isaiah 55:1



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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

## SUMMER RECTORY OFFICE HOURS:

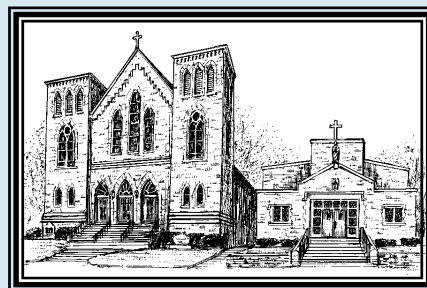
Monday-Thursday: 8:30 a.m.—12:00 p.m.

Closed Fridays

## CONTACT US:

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[www.bellefontecatholicchurch.org](http://www.bellefontecatholicchurch.org)



## PARISH STAFF:

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Deacon Tom & Shirley Boldin

Music Ministry Coordinator:

Natalie Stanton

Maintenance:

Joe Baummer

## Masses for the week

### Saturday, August 1st

5:00 PM Jude Rhine (Mark & Chris Rhine)

### Sunday, August 2nd

8:00 AM Craig Lee (Suzy Messina)

10:15 AM Michael Polansky (His sisters)

### Monday, August 3rd

9:00 AM Butch Lassila (The Oesterling Family)

### Thursday, August 6th

6:00 PM Betty Nagy (Fr. George)

### Friday, August 7th

8:00 AM Margaret Rogus (St. John in Stitches grp)

**Adoration for "Silver Rose"**

8:30 AM Rosary and special prayers

11:00 AM Closing Adoration

### Saturday, August 8th

5:00 PM Barbara & Anthony Thal  
(Cindy Harter and Children)

### Sunday, August 9th

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

10:15 AM Hank & Pavy Wurster (Cliff & Doris Wurster)

12:00 PM Latin Mass

## Parish News

### MEMORIALS

St. John the Evangelist Church received the following memorial donations **In Loving Memory of...**

**Tommy Parmenter**

by  
Mary Margaret Gorzelnik (sister)

### REMINDER

CCD Teachers Meeting - **Sunday, August 9th**, 9:15-10:15 in the school auditorium.

### FIRST HOLY COMMUNION PHOTOS

First Holy Communion photos are ready! They are on the table in the back of the church in front of Father's confessional in envelopes marked with your child's name. Pick up at your convenience.

### BAPTISM PREPARATION CLASS

Our next Baptism preparation class is scheduled for **Sunday, September 13, 2020** from 11:30 AM - 12:30 PM in the rectory basement. If you have any questions, please contact Deacon Tom Boldin [atstboldin@verizon.net](mailto:atstboldin@verizon.net).

### ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

The next Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament will be **Monday, August 3rd** immediately following the 9:00 am Mass. It will close at 1:00 pm. Please come and spend some time with our Eucharistic Lord.

## Knights of Columbus



### BEATIFICATION

The Founder of the Knights of Columbus Father Michael J. McGivney will be beatified as a Saint on **October 31st** in Connecticut. In celebration of the announcement, the Supreme Council is offering to new members who join online **FREE membership for one year**. The prospect should be directed to the website [www.kofc.us/join](http://www.kofc.us/join) when prompted for a promotion code to use **MCGIVNEY2020**. This is a limited time offer valid until Aug 5.

### AUGUST COUNCIL MEETING:

The August meetings of Klub Columbo and Council 1314 will take place in person on **August 13th** with a Zoom meeting that will be streamed from the in-person meeting. Klub Columbo Meeting at 6:30, Rosary at 7:15, Council meeting at 7:30.

Join from PC, Mac, Linux, iOS or Android:

<https://psu.zoom.us/j/93752515713>

Or Telephone Dial: +1 301 715 8592 (US Toll)

+1 312 626 6799 (US Toll)

+1 646 876 9923 (US Toll)

Meeting ID: 937 5251 5713



### SILVER ROSE PILGRIMAGE

**Silver Rose Pilgrimage** is coming to St. John's on Friday, **August 7th**. Each year, from early March through mid-December, Silver Roses are stewarded by Knights of Columbus councils along routes from Canada to Mexico. Every stop the Silver Rose makes throughout the pilgrimage is a rosary-centered occasion for Knights, parishioners and community members to pray for respect for life, for the spiritual renewal of each nation, and for the advancement of the message of Our Lady of Guadalupe.

### Schedule:

**8:00 AM Mass**

**Adoration immediately following Mass**

**8:30 AM Rosary and Special Prayers**

**11:00 AM Closing of Adoration**

This event is being sponsored by our Knights of Columbus #1314

# Diocesan News & Events

## ANNUAL WEDDING ANNIVERSARY LITURGY

Bishop Mark Bartchak and the Family Life Office cordially invite all couples celebrating 1, 5, 10, 25, 40, 50, 55, and 60+ Wedding Anniversary in 2020 (and their families) to attend the **Annual Wedding Anniversary Liturgy**. Couples may attend **Sunday, September 13 in ALTOONA** at Cathedral of the Blessed Sacrament or **Sunday, September 20 in JOHNSTOWN** at St. John Gualbert Cathedral. Both locations are handicap accessible. Liturgies in each location begin at **2:00 p.m.** 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 Wednesday, August 19. Please call the rectory at 355-3134.

## 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](http://www.dioceseaj.org) (Ministries, Marriage Preparation). **Local classes will be held here at St. John the Evangelist October 13-20-27, 2020.**

# Weekly Financial Report

## For Weekend of July 26, 2020

### ORDINARY COLLECTION INCOME RECEIVED:

Adult Offertory:	\$	7,026.00
Loose Offertory:	\$	1,395.50
Children's Offertory:	\$	11.00
Special Monthly:	\$	460.00
Votive Candles:	\$	71.54
<b>ORDINARY TOTAL:</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>8,963.54</b>

### EXTRA ORDINARY INCOME RECEIVED:

Assumption:	\$	12.00
Ascension:	\$	4.00
Local Family Assistance:	\$	370.00
Maintenance:	\$	570.00
<b>EXTRA ORDINARY TOTAL:</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>956.00</b>

**ORDINARY & EXTRA TOTAL: \$ 9,919.54**

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**SCHOOL COLLECTION: \$ 365.00**

**SPECIAL COLLECTIONS: (Diocesan or Other)**

Catholic Register \$ 8.00

*Thank you for your generosity!*

## 2020 CATHOLIC MINISTRIES DRIVE

DIOCESE OF ALTOONA-JOHNSTOWN



St. John's 2020 Goal: \$53,420.00

### 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](http://dioceseaj.org)

Click on "Giving"



**\*UPDATE\***

St. John's parishioners (158 individuals) have pledged **\$47,583.00** to date!

Thank you for supporting our diocese.

## *Please pray for those serving in the military:*

LT Steven Wright, U.S. Navy	CPT James Bickle, U.S. Army Reserve
SSG Matthew Bickle, U.S. Army	Maj T.J. Valley, USMC
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 Bindhart, 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
LCPL Hunter M. O'Neil, USMC	ILT Alexis Franks, U.S. Army
LtCol Tim Jackson, USMC	Maj Alaina Valley, USMC
CPT Jacob Jude Pipta, U.S. Army Reserve	SGT Toby Dugal, Army Nat'l Guard

~ 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. Kateri Tekakwitha Catholic Church



## Saint Kateri Tekakwitha Catholic Church of Penns Valley

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**Rev. George Jakopac, Pastor**  
gjakopac@dioceseaj.org

### Mass Time—Sunday at 12:00 Noon

#### MASS INTENTIONS\*

##### Sunday, August 2nd

**12:00 PM** Bill and Sandy Rockey  
*50th Wedding Anniversary*

##### Sunday, August 9th

**12:00 PM** Rita Jean & John "Jack" Hayes  
(The Family)

##### Sunday, August 16th

**12:00 PM** Frank Capparelli  
(KofC OLV Assembly #1945)

##### Sunday, August 23rd

**12:00 PM** Souls of Roman Family  
(Carol Confer)

\*To schedule a mass intention for a family member or friend, living or deceased, in 2020 please contact Liz Forstmeier at saintjohnsoff@gmail.com or call St. John's at 814-355-3134.

#### MEMORIALS

St. Kateri Tekakwitha Catholic Church received the following memorial donations **In Loving Memory of...**

##### **Frank Capparelli**

by  
Peggy and Pat Madison  
and  
Louise Tukey

#### CONTACT

You may reach Fr. George at St. John's rectory at 814-355-3134 or saintjohnsoff@gmail.com.

Fr. George's alternate email is georgeivan@comcast.net. Please note: Fr. George occasionally sends group emails via a Comcast account. It may appear as "ST IVAN."

#### PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK

Harry Henry, Mary McTish, Rosemary Maher, Ms. King, Andrew Pepper, Angie Deardorff.

#### BULLETIN NEWS

Any Kateri bulletin announcements can be sent to Liz Forstmeier at saintjohnsoff@gmail.com or 814-355-3134. Please send the announcements by Monday at 3:00 PM for the following Sunday's bulletin.

#### THANK YOU

Many thanks to Eda Case and Patchwork Farms for donating the beautiful outdoor flowers, pots and arrangements. Also thanks to PCooperG Landscaping for mulching and installing the timed water system. Paid for by an anonymous donation. Even in this dry year our little church in the valley looks fantastic!

#### READINGS FOR THE WEEK

**Monday:** Jer 28:1-17; Ps 119:29, 43, 79, 80, 95, 102;  
Mt 14:22-36

**Tuesday:** Jer 30:1-2, 12-15, 18-22; Ps 102:16-21, 29,  
22-23; Mt 14:22-36 or Mt 15:1-2, 10-14

**Wednesday:** Jer 31:1-7; Jer 31:10-12ab, 13; Mt 15:21-28

**Thursday:** Dn 7:9-10, 13-14; Ps 97:1-2, 5-6, 9;  
2 Pt 1:16-19; Mt 17:1-9

**Friday:** Na 2:1, 3; 3:1-3, 6-7; Dt 32:35cd-36ab,  
39abcd, 41; Mt 16:24-28

**Saturday:** Hb 1:12 — 2:4; Ps 9:8-13; Mt 17:14-20

**Sunday:** 1 Kgs 19:9a, 11-13a; Ps 85:9-14;  
Rom 9:1-5; Mt 14:22-33

#### SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

**Sunday:** Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

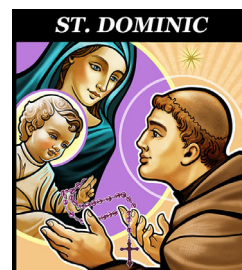
**Tuesday:** St. John Vianney

**Wednesday:** Dedication of the Basilica of St. Mary Major

**Thursday:** The Transfiguration of the Lord

**Friday:** St. Sixtus II and Companions; St. Cajetan;  
First Friday

**Saturday:** St. Dominic



# St. John School News



**PRINCIPAL:** Mrs. Kristina V. Tice  
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## JJ POWELL CHURCH PROGRAM

We would like to thank the Church and all parishioners that participate in the JJ Powell Church Program, which donates monies to our school based on gallons delivered to a business or home. Parishioners who wish to participate in this program should call JJ Powell at 355-4749 at any time throughout the year to register in the Church Program. Every gallon helps with the donation JJ Powell makes to our school.

## SCHOOL SUMMER HOURS

St. John School is on summer break. Our office hours will be Wednesdays from 8:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. or by appointment. Feel free to call and leave a message since we will be answering phones and scheduling appointments throughout the week.

You can also email us at:

**General:** [sjadmin@saintjohnsch.net](mailto:sjadmin@saintjohnsch.net)

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**St. John, apostle and evangelist**

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## MEMORIALS & DONATIONS

The July school collection was **\$2,404.00**

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

## REMEMBER ST. JOHN'S IN YOUR WILL

If you are interested in remembering St. John's Church or School in your will, simply include as a beneficiary

“St. John the Evangelist Catholic Church,  
134 East Bishop Street”  
or “St. John the Evangelist Catholic School,  
116 East Bishop St.”

## **Tune into WJVM 90.3-FM or WEJO 104.7-FM for Catholic Radio!**

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Thanks so much!  
Liz