

# St. John the Evangelist Catholic Church

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July 8, 2018



## Mass Times

Weekday – 8:30 AM

Saturday - 5:30 PM

Sunday – 9:00 AM

Holy Days – 8:30 AM and 7:00 PM

Eucharistic Holy Hour – Friday – 3:00 PM

**CONFESSIONS** – Saturday at 4:30 PM, Sunday at 8:00 AM and after Holy Hour,  
all Masses, or any time by appointment.

Religious Education – grades 1 -11 on Sunday 10:00-10:55 AM – Fr. Fairman

Parish Council – Bob Spargo, Chairman

Finance Council – Mark Rakoczy, OD, Chairman

Catholic Charities – 814-944-9388, call Monday through Friday, between 9AM and 5 PM

**LITURGY----July 7-15**

**SATURDAY** July 7  
**5:30 PM** Ross Torres by Family

**SUNDAY** July 8  
**9:00 AM** All Members of the Parish

**MONDAY** July 9  
**8:30 AM** Michael Caro by Jackie Verdiglione

**TUESDAY** July 10  
**8:30 AM** NO MASS

**WEDNESDAY** July 11  
**8:30 AM** Special Intention by Theresa Lankey

**THURSDAY** July 12  
**8:30 AM** Mary Cregger  
 by Bob & Carol Harclerode

**FRIDAY** July 13  
**8:30 AM** Pete Wolfhope  
 by Philip & Becky Miller

**3:00 PM** EUCHARISTIC HOLY HOUR

**SATURDAY** July 14  
**5:30 PM** Mr. & Mrs. Robert Arnold  
 by sister C.R. Miller

**SUNDAY** July 15  
**9:00 AM** All Members of the Parish  
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**July 14 & July 15**  
**EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS**   
**5:30 PM** J. Naglic & Marianne Ziviello  
**9:00 AM** B. Spargo & K. Spargo

**LECTORS**  
**5:30 PM** R. Gesselberty  
**9:00 AM** M. Grover  
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**NEW PARISHIONERS:** Please fill out a yellow registration card found by the bulletin board and introduce yourself to Fr. Fairman.  
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**DIVINE MERCY CHAPLET AND ROSARY:** We pray the Divine Mercy Chaplet and Rosary before Mass at 5 PM Saturday and 8:25 AM Sunday. The Rosary and Chaplet is also prayed after weekday Masses.  
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**CALENDAR OF EVENTS:**

July 8-Choir Practice after 9 AM Mass  
 July 9-Pro-Life Meeting-6:30 PM-Spring House Estates  
 July 11-Ladies of St. John-7 PM-Social Hall  
 Aug 1 – Finance Council Meeting – 7 PM - Rectory  
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**PRAYER LIST:** Tom Waltman, Rosa Davis, Whitney Krumme, Julia May, Jerry Corle, Pat Waltman, Bev Summerville, Mary Drake, Hope Burkett, Pete Schetrompf, Joanna Price, Fr. Norm Imgrund, Don Weaverling, Jane Cunard, Gene Ford, Cathy Crawford, Chris Olsen, Ellen Coleman, Linda Wigfield, Joe Summerville, Deb Willey, Joan Buchanan, Anne Majcher, Barb McConnell, Shirley Ford, Terry Young, Cameron Lowery, Marie Smith, John Milavec, Bradley Foor, Helen Terry, Bryce Phillip Johnson, J. B. Whisker, Robert Myers, Stephen McLean, Jacey Schmidt, Jean Williams, Joette Reid, Jackie Verdiglione, Pat Young, Deborah James, Jane Hood, Rose & Ben Feight, John Watson, Sandy Carl, Emily Kootz, Carol Hines, Jeff Robine, Richard Bord, Helen Snyder, Kathleen Tomkosky, Nancy Stolarski, Troy Melliott, Dwane Gochnour, Fr. John Elias, Cindy Appley, Mary Ellen Culver and Cohen Allen.

(Please call to add or remove a name once the person is recovered or no longer in need of special prayer. If you are placing someone other than a family member on the list, please be sure to have their permission first.)

<b>SUNDAY OFFERING</b>	
<b>July 1, 2018</b>	
Weekly:	\$1,514.00
Peter's Pence:	\$35.00
Local Needs:	\$270.00
CMD:	\$10.00
<b>Thank you!</b>	

**2018 CATHOLIC MINISTRIES DRIVE:**  
 All contributions received beyond our parish quota for the diocese, **\$9,011** will be used for this year's project. We have **added \$5,000** to our quota to be used to **repair/replace the pews** that are cracked and **replace the kneelers** since so many are in poor condition. As of **July 2**, we have received **\$8,815.00** in cash and pledges.  
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**MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION AND**

**LECTORS:** We are still in need of Eucharist Ministers. If you are interested in serving contact Kathie Spargo or Fr. Fairman. We also need Lectors, if you are interested contact Carol Harclerode.

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**SEVEN DOLORS SUMMER SCHEDULE:** Beginning **June 1, 2018** and lasting until the third Sunday of **August(19)**, Mass will be held at **11 AM** at the Seven Dolours of the BVM in Beans Cove.

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**CHOIR PRACTICE:** The choir will practice **after the 9:00 Mass**. Please consider joining your talent to our choir.



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**LADIES OF ST. JOHN:** Next meeting will be **Wednesday July 11, 2018, 7 PM**. All ladies of the parish are welcome.

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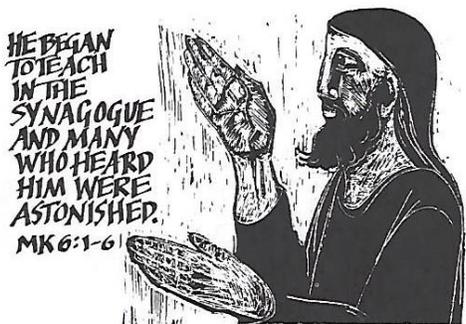
**PRO-LIFE:** Bedford County Citizens Concerned for Human Life meeting will be held **Monday, July 9, 6:30 PM**, in the game room at Homewood Estates. For more information call Doug Braendel at 814-623-6887

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**OUTDOOR SUMMER MASSES:** Father John D. Byrnes, Rector, and the Parish Family of Saint Michael the Archangel Basilica, Loretto, invite the faithful to join us each Sunday evening at **7:00 p.m.** for the outdoor Sunday Mass at the beautiful Shrine of Our Lady of the Alleghenies in Loretto. The first Mass of the season will be celebrated on **Sunday, May 27, 2018**, and will continue through Labor Day Weekend, September 2, 2018. Please bring a lawn chair. In the event of inclement weather, the Mass will be celebrated in the Basilica of Saint Michael the Archangel.

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**FOURTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**



**ST VINCENT DE PAUL:** In today's Gospel the people ask: "How is it such miraculous deeds are accomplished by his hands?" Because of your gift to the Society of St. Vincent de Paul many "miraculous deeds" are accomplished for the poor. **This week put a gift in the collection basket, knowing that through your kindness someone who is suffering will be touched by God in a miraculous way.**

**During the month of June through your gifts, the Society of St. Vincent de Paul brought the love and healing of Jesus to our suffering neighbors enabling The Society to provide assistance to 20 families in the following ways: Utilities – 9, Rent – 1, Gas – 1, Food – 5, Medication – 1, Overnight housing – 2, Car registration – 1. Thank you and God bless you!**

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**LITURGICAL REFLECTION:** The resurrection of Jesus is the culminating truth of the Christian faith. Through his death and resurrection, Christ freed us from sin and gave us access to new life. It is true that Christ will raise us up on the last day, but it is also true that, in a certain way, we have already risen with Christ in the Sacrament of Baptism. Because of Christ, Christian death has a positive meaning. By death the soul is separated from the body, but when the Lord comes in all his glory, he will give incorruptible life to our body, transformed by reunion with our soul. **Instruction Ad resurgendum cum Christo, Congregation for the Doctrine Number 2. Diocese of Altoona Johnstown Liturgy Office, 925 S. Logan Blvd. Hollidaysburg, Pennsylvania 16648.**

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**Families and the Gospel**

**July 8**

**Mark 6:1-6**

Today's gospel is so familiar, it hurts! The home town folks couldn't accept the presence of God in Jesus. After all, they had watched him grow up. We can easily make the same mistake if we don't see God present in the ordinary routines of our family. "The Lord be with you" is a statement of fact. Believe it. Live it.

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**Stewardship Reflections**

**14<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time**

**July 8**

Ezekiel and Jesus were both rejected by those who were close to them. May we be open-minded enough to see God revealing his will for us from those whom we least expect. May we live and act with the heart of Jesus and not let people's judgments hold us back from being the stewards God has empowered us to be.

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**OUTDOOR MASS HONORING MARRIED COUPLES:**

The Altoona Johnstown Diocesan Family is invited to participate and pray for those living the Sacrament of Marriage at an Outdoor Mass honoring Married Couples on Sunday evening, July 15 at 7 PM at the Shrine of Our Lady of the Alleghenies in Loretto. Bring a lawn chair. Indoors if rain. Bishop Mark is the concelebrant and homilist. This is a wonderful way to celebrate, encourage and support married couples.

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**A VIRTUAL VISIT TO BIBICAL LANDS:** On Thursday, July 19, St. John the Evangelist Parish is planning a bus trip to Washington, DC, where we will visit the new Museum of the Bible, as well as the National Geographic Museum. A visit to the Museum of the Bible makes the Holy Land come alive, and at the Museum for National Geographic, we will experience an exhibition entitled the "Tomb of Christ," which takes us on a 3-D photographic journey into the very heart of the Church of the Holy Sepulcher in Jerusalem. We will be departing at 7:00 from our parking lot, and returning by 11. The cost is \$90 per person, which includes travel in a luxury coach, admission to both museums, and dinner on the way home. For more information, or to make reservations, please call the St. John's Altoona at 942-5503. All are most welcome!

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**PERMANENT DIACONATE PROGRAM:** Is God Calling You to a Life of Service as a Deacon?: All those interested in learning about the Formation, Ministry and Life of the Permanent Diaconate, are invited to join Deacon Michael Russo at a special get together on Saturday, August 18th at the Carmelite Community of the Word Incarnation Center, Gallitzin from 9:30 AM – 4:00 PM. Lunch and refreshments will be provided. Married men are expected to attend with their wives. Space is limited. Reservations are required. To make reservations please contact the Office of the Permanent Diaconate at (814) 693-9870 or email: [jnoonan@dioceseaj.org](mailto:jnoonan@dioceseaj.org).

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**THE FRIAR'S NOOK GIFT SHOP:** The Friar's Nook Gift Shop – Open Mon – Sat 10 – 4 793 Monastery Road, Hollidaysburg, Pa 16648 (Across from the Monastery) Stop in to see our new summer collection. We also have several outdoor statues and garden plaques. If you have any questions, please call (814) 695-3802

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**Leaving a Legacy—Principles to Live By**

By Jim Rohn from "Twelfth Pillar of Success: Legacy, Part Two"

**Life is best lived in service to others.** This doesn't mean that we do not strive for the best for ourselves. It does mean that in all things we serve other people, including our family, co-workers and friends.

**Consider others' interests as important as your own.** Much of the world suffers because people consider only their own interests. People are looking out for number one, but the way to leave a legacy is to also look out for others.

**Love your neighbor even if you don't like him.** It is interesting that Jesus told us to love others. But he never tells us to like them. Liking people has to do with emotions. Loving people has to do with actions. And what you will find is that when you love them and do good by them, you will more often than not begin to like them.

**Maintain integrity at all costs.** There are very few things you take to the grave with you. The number one thing is your reputation and good name. There are always going to be temptations to cut corners and break your integrity. Do not do it. Do what is right all of the time, no matter what the cost.

**You must risk in order to gain.** In just about every area of life you must risk in order to gain the reward. In love, you must risk rejection in order to ask that person out for the first time. In investing you place your capital at risk in the market in order to receive a growing bank account. When we risk, we gain and when we gain, we have more to leave for others.

**You reap what you sow.** If you plant a seed, you reap a bushel. What you put into the ground then grows out of the ground...It is one of the truest laws of the universe. Decide what you want out of life and begin to sow it. Hard work is never a waste. Hard work will leave a grand legacy. Give it your all on your trip around the earth. You will do a lot of good and leave a terrific legacy.

**Don't give up when you fail.** Imagine what legacies would have never existed if someone had given up. Everyone fails. It is a fact of life. Those who succeed are those who do not give up. They keep going and build a successful life — and a legacy!

**Don't ever stop in your pursuit of a legacy.** Many people have accomplished tremendous things later on in life. There is always time to do more and achieve more, to help more and serve more, to teach more and to learn more. Keep going and growing that legacy!

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