



ST. JOHN THE EVANGELIST CATHOLIC CHURCH

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Mass Times: M, W, Th, F 8:30 a.m.

Saturday: 5:30 p.m.

Sunday: 9:00 a.m.

Holy Days: 8:30 a.m., 7:00 p.m.

Eucharistic Holy Hour: Friday: 3:00 p.m.

*We pray the Divine Mercy Chaplet and Rosary before Mass at 5:00 PM Saturday and 8:25 AM Sunday. The Rosary and Chaplet is also prayed after weekday Masses.

Confessions: Saturday: 12:00 noon, Sunday: 8:00 a.m., after Holy Hour, after Mass, or any time by appointment.

Religious Education: grades 1-11 on Sunday: 10:00 – 10:45 a.m. –Contact Fr. Fairman

Catholic Charities: (814) 944-9388, call Monday through Friday, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

New Parishioners: Please fill out a yellow card, found on the bulletin table, put it in the collection basket, and introduce yourself to Father Fairman.

July 12, 2026
15TH Sunday in Ordinary Time



LITURGY July 11– July 19

SATURDAY

5:30 PM

July 11

All Members of the Parish

SUNDAY

9:00 AM

July 12

Mary Cregger

By Carol Harclerode

MONDAY

8:30 AM

July 13

Jane Elizabeth Cunard

By Rudy & Judy Plummer

TUESDAY

8:30 AM

July 14

NO MASS

WEDNESDAY

8:30 AM

July 15

LaRue Caro

by Fred & Margaret Grover

THURSDAY

8:30 AM

July 16

James & Frances Stankin

by James B. Whisker

FRIDAY

8:30 AM

July 17

Dr. G.L. Rinard Family

by James B. Whisker

3:00 PM

EUCHARISTIC HOLY HOUR

SATURDAY

5:30 PM

July 18

All Members of the Parish

SUNDAY

9:00 AM

July 19

Father Norman Imgrund

by Fred & Margaret Grover

PRAYER LIST: Susan Trimeloni, Patrick Dumpert, Luca Rakoczy, Raymond Smith, John McKnight, Bob Will, Bob Stubler, Anne Jones, Billy Clapper, Bob Marko, Richard Heming, Harvey Bennett, Kyle Foust, James McDonnell, Adam Wright, Jim Buchanan, Jim Macy, Tim Kiser, Bob Myers, Ron and Sally Perrin, Mitch Durst, Judy Mardis, Janice Heming, Bill Wigfield, Dianne Hush, Danielle Henry, Suzanne Porsch, Chaddie Kidd, Nancy Pennel, Doreen Spargo, Mary Belle Zelanko, Rose Marie Stoeffler, James Bernarding, Shirley Smith, Linda Stubler, James Ford, Janine Anna, Caden Davis, Kathleen Yingling, River Troutman, Richard Koontz, Anne and Casimir Majcher, Joette Reid, Hope Burkett, J.B. Whisker, Pat Young, Rose Feight, Helen Snyder, and Nancy Stolarski.

* 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.

WELCOME: We welcome **Mark and Esther Smith** to our parish family.

STEWARDSHIP REFLECTION: *In the Gospel, Jesus introduces the parable of the sower with an important word. "HEAR then the parable of the sower."*

"Listening" and "hearing" are sometimes used interchangeably. In this context, to 'hear' is not just to be physically capable of picking up sound. To 'hear' presumes attention and awareness; it implies understanding and acceptance and, ultimately, implementation of what is heard. Am I ready to enter the Kingdom? What kind of soil do I present for the Lord's Word? Am I really listening to Him in the fullest sense

LADIES OF ST. JOHN: The July parish social will be **Saturday, July 18 immediately following the 5:30 PM Mass.** Everything to build your own taco salad will be provided and so will beverages. The rest of the meal will be pot luck so please bring something to share. The next meeting will be **Wednesday, August 12, at 4 PM** in the social hall.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL 814-979-0272
Just as Jesus directed, your donations to St. Vincent de Paul sow the seeds of kindness and compassion to those in need. Through the faithful and continued generosity of a St. John's parishioner, ten food gift cards were given as Fourth of July surprises to families in need in Bedford County. The joy brought to these families who knew they were thought of, for once, without having to ask was a blessing and we are very grateful!

MEN OF ST. JOHN: Interest has been expressed by members of the parish in reviving this social/service group. If you are interested please mention it to Fr. Fairman. Details about an organization meeting will be coming soon.

SUNDAY OFFERING

July 5, 2026

Weekly:	\$2,537.00
Peter's Pence:	\$130.00
Misc. donations:	\$15.00
Local Needs:	\$355.00

THANK YOU!!

CATHOLIC MINISTRIES DRIVE (CMD) 2026: This year's theme, *Sent to Serve*, reminds us that, by virtue of our baptism, each of us has been *Sent to Serve*, entrusted with gifts that are meant to be shared for the good of others. This drive supports 9 ministries in our diocese, under evangelization, serving those in need, or formation of priests and deacons. This year our diocesan goal is **\$9,200**. Everything over that will be used for our project of replacing our entrance sign. As of **May 31**, we have received **\$8,320** in cash and pledges to the diocese and **\$565** directly for our project.

PARISH CELEBRATION: In an effort to create some surprises for Father Fairman the committee may have been a bit "skimpy" with the details of the August 9 Celebration. Some questions have come up. A Mass is not scheduled as part of the event. Weekend Masses on Aug. 8/9 will remain the same as always. Except for the catered dinner which will be served from 3 to 4 PM, the rest of the events will be **informal, flexible and fun**. Arrival is scheduled from 2-3 PM and will include some self-guided activities. Weather permitting, there will be an activity in the gazebo and everything else will be indoors. After dinner, there will be a program of tributes, remarks, games, prizes and shared memories, also all indoors. The conclusion will be a time for unstructured fellowship and socializing. There will be a detailed schedule of events available when you arrive. In consideration of the questions, if anyone needs more time to decide, **the response deadline has been extended to July 19.**

BLUE BIRD BOX PAINT PARTY: On Wednesday, September 16, from 6:00 to 8:00 PM, the Ladies of St. John will host a paint party in the parish social hall. The cost is \$35.00 which includes all supplies: a solid cedar blue bird box already assembled, paints, traced pattern, basic instruction and light refreshments. The party is open to all skill levels and age groups including children; however, children must be accompanied by an adult. Payment is not due until the night of the party but registration is required by August 31, to secure a blue bird box and materials. To register there is now a sign-up sheet in the vestibule. If you have questions contact Sally Harclerode, 814-652-6468 or speak with Fr. Fairman. All proceeds benefit the activities of the Ladies Group.

MONICA CLUB: will meet, **Wednesday, July 22, at 1 PM** in the social hall. New members are welcome.

THE INDOOR YARD SALE RETURNS: The Ladies Group is tentatively planning an indoor yard sale for Friday and Saturday, September 25 & 26. For a fee of \$20.00 vendors will be provided with an 8-foot table. Each vendor will be responsible for their own set-up and removal at the end of the sale. More details in future bulletins.