



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.

March 15, 2026
Fourth Sunday of Lent



LITURGY March 14 – March 22

SATURDAY

5:30 PM

March 14

Ben & Loni Braman
by Family

SUNDAY

9:00 AM

March 15

All Members of the Parish

MONDAY

8:30 AM

March 16

Ray DeLaurentis
by Carol Harclerode

TUESDAY

8:30 AM

March 17

Dale Weyant
by Frank Peternel

WEDNESDAY

8:30 AM

March 18

Fredarica Barkman
by Fred & Margaret Grover

THURSDAY

8:30 AM

March 19

NO MASS

FRIDAY

8:30 AM

March 20

Thomas Smith
by Judy Plummer

3:15 PM

EUCHARISTIC HOLY HOUR

4:30 PM

STATIONS OF THE CROSS

SATURDAY

5:30

March 21

All Members of the Parish

SUNDAY

9:00 AM

March 22

Daniel Wood
by Fred & Margaret Grover

PRAYER LIST: Anna Weber, Henry Haughey, John McKnight, Bob Will, Bob Stubler, Janet Noveske, 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, Jane Cunard, Kathleen Yingling, River Troutman, Richard Koontz, Anne and Casmir 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.

LENTEN SCHEDULE: Each Friday in Lent, **Holy Hour** will begin at 3:15 p.m. followed by **Stations of the Cross** at 4:30 p.m.

Lenten Soup Supper, the final one this year, will be **Friday, March 20**, immediately following Stations of the Cross. **The Lenten Penance Service** will be on **Tuesday, March 24 at 7:00 PM. with four priests hearing confessions.**

Reminder: All **Fridays in Lent** are days of abstinence from meat (mammals and poultry) for those over 14 years of age.

STEWARDSHIP REFLECTION: *In the Gospel Jesus said, "I came into this world for judgment, so that those who do not see might see, and those who do see might become blind."* God alone can give us the eyes to see Him by faith. We have not seen Jesus, not in person, at least. But God has opened our eyes by faith to see the Light of the world. In Jesus, we have seen God's love and His mercy. In His death and resurrection, we have seen His victory over the dark. We were born blind, but now we see.

THE FEAST OF ST. JOSEPH, MARCH 19: This is the secret of the greatness of St. Joseph: he made his life a service, a sacrifice, to the mystery of the Incarnation and to the redemptive mission that is joined to it. He gave the total gift of himself, of his life, of his work. He converted his human vocation into the love placed at the service of the Messiah conceived in his home. *St. Paul VI*

LADIES OF ST. JOHN: The next meeting of the year will be **Wednesday, April 8, at 4 PM** in the social hall. The group is the guiding force behind the parish fellowship activities. Please consider donating some of your time and talent to this important ministry. New members are most welcome.

ST. MONICA CLUB: The next meeting will be **Wed., March 25** at 1 p.m. in the social hall. New members are welcome.

SUNDAY OFFERING

March 8, 2026

Weekly:	\$2,138.00
Local Needs:	\$110.00
CMD Project:	\$25.00

THANK YOU!!

2nd COLLECTION: Continuing with our Lenten alms giving, **this weekend March 14-15**, we will have **The Catholic Relief Services Collection**. Funds from this collection provide food to the hungry, Support displaced refugees, and bring Christ's love and mercy to vulnerable people here and abroad.

MONTHLY ENVELOPES: Please note that the **Monthly envelope** is for **Local Needs and special collections**. If you are combining you **weekly donations**, please use a **weekly envelope!** Any donations in the Monthly envelope without a designation listed is put in Local Needs. Again, please do not use tape on the envelopes.

CATHOLIC MINISTRIES DRIVE (CMD) 2026: begins this weekend. 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 replace our entrance sign.

NOTE FROM FR. FAIRMAN: **Candy Making** for the Easter season begins this Tuesday in the social hall. Our community service collection for this quarter will benefit the **Everett Elementary School's backpack program** that provides supplemental food for families in need. A list of suggested food items is on the bulletin board above the collection bins in the vestibule.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL **814-979-0272**

In today's Gospel, Jesus gives sight to the blind man. Through grace we are also transformed from not seeing to seeing and then Jesus sends us to help others see and to believe.

Your gift to the Society of St. Vincent de Paul brings joy, peace, forgiveness, mercy and kindness to the hurting hearts of the poor.

RAFFLE 2026: Thanks for your support of the 'Together We Stand' raffle. Next in-church ticket sale will be **this weekend March 14/15**, before mass. Need a ticket before April sales, call or text Pat (717-679-2081) to arrange for tickets. Please know that Pat also brings tickets to church every week. Reminder that anyone can take tickets to sell outside of church, returning any unsold ticket(s) by mid-May. And this year there are 16 prizes—good luck to all ticket holders!